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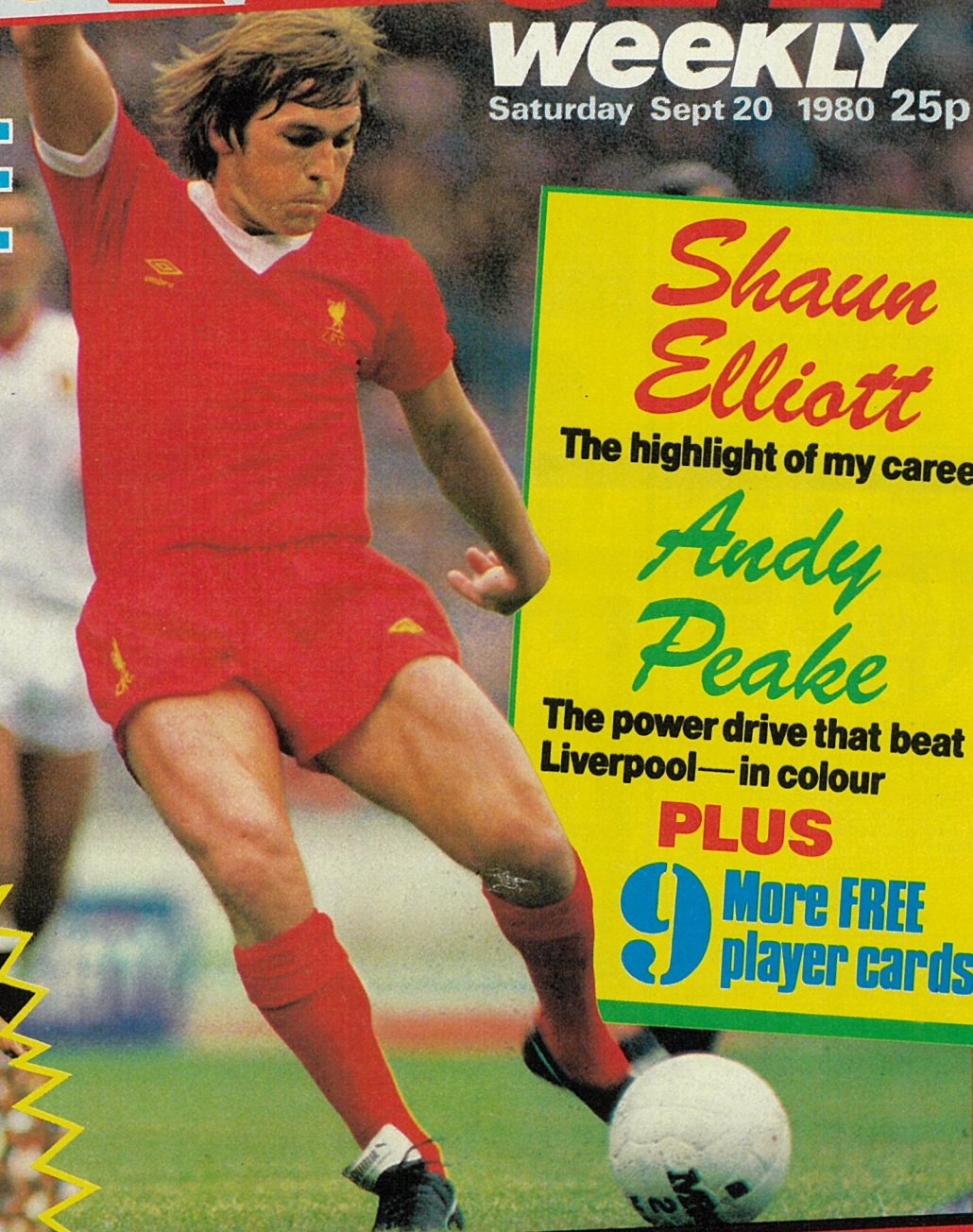
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Above: Jimmy Case — 'he really hits the ball,' says Jimmy Rimmer (pictured right).



Case and Kidd — the players I fear

— Jimmy Rimmer

JIMMY Case of Liverpool and Brian Kidd of Bolton Wanderers are the hot-shots that Aston Villa keeper Jimmy Rimmer fears the most.

"I used to play with Brian at Manchester United so I know from first hand experience what a shot he can pack.

"He really hits the ball with power and they always seem to dip and swerve.

"Jimmy Case hits the ball much more cleanly. When he shoots it comes straight at the goal. Fortunately I can't remember either of them being on target against me," said the former Arsenal star.

"Former Brighton midfield international Peter O'Sullivan can also pack a shot. I remember a save I made from his last season.

"He was positioned just inside our penalty area and hit a shot that was going for the top corner.

"I flung myself full length to put it away for a corner — but it had some power behind it.

"With shots from long range the slightest touch a keeper can get to the ball will deflect it quite a way," added Jimmy.

Soccer

Hughes almost fooled me

— Jim Platt

THE whole of Anfield applauded Jim Platt after the Middlesbrough keeper had leapt to turn away a fierce shot from Emlyn Hughes.

But while the crowd were savouring the magic of the save, Northern Ireland international Jim was criticising himself for not holding it.

"Emlyn hit one of the hardest shots I can ever remember facing. He took a free kick 25 yards out.

"I was confident that I could hold it because it was just the right height, but it must have swerved because I was lucky to tip it over," said Jim.

"One crack effort that did beat me came from Trevor Cherry at

Left: Trevor Cherry — lived up to his reputation.



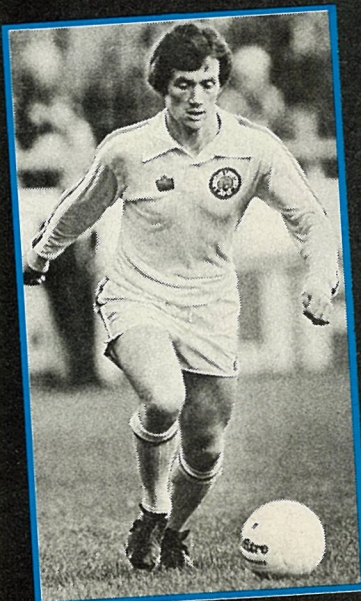
Jim Platt — lucky to tip it over.

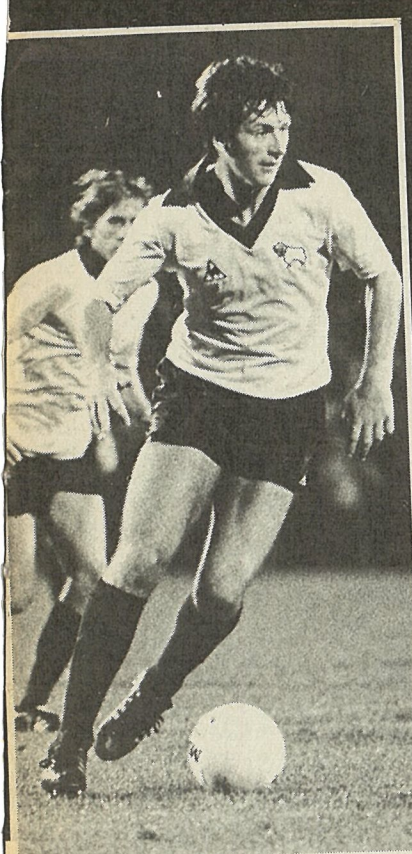
Elland Road last season. He has always had a reputation for hitting the ball hard and now I know why."

Jim also has a surprise choice for a top-shot. Manchester City's young defender Tommy Caton, who nearly beat him earlier this season in a 2-2 draw.

"The youngster smashed a ball from 40 yards and I could only parry it away. Unfortunately Kevin Reeves was on hand to stab home the rebound.

"I will always think of that effort as Tommy Caton's goal. The shot had terrific force behind it."





Rioch's rocket broke my finger

says Graham Moseley

Left: Bruce Rioch — tremendous power!

Right: Graham Moseley — painful experience with Rioch.

BRIGHTON goalkeeper Graham Moseley will long remember one of the hardest shots he ever faced . . . it broke his little finger!

It was in his Derby County days and Graham was playing in a pre-season training session with team-mate Bruce Rioch.

The attempt to save Bruce's shot saw him miss the start of the season.

"I will always remember saving a tremendous shot from Peter Taylor of Spurs, too," said Graham.

It was in the 1976-77 season when they were relegated to the Second Division and we won 8-2 at the Baseball Ground.

"He cut inside a defender and let one go from the edge of the box with his left foot. I can remember flying across the goal and punching the ball away for a corner," said Graham.

Former Spurs and England international Martin Chivers ace hit a thunderous shot that left Graham absolutely stranded in a League game at White Hart Lane five years ago.

"Martin was playing in midfield and broke away to hit a blaster from nearly 30 yards out. It just flew into the net. I made a vain attempt to save it, but the shot beat me all the way," added Graham.



Hot-shots

Which player has the hardest shot in football? Four top 'keepers give their views

Hill 'screamer' was in vain recalls Paul Cooper

'MERLIN' weaved a magic spell and dumbfounded Ipswich keeper Paul Cooper.

Gordon Hill — known affectionately as Merlin to the fans in his Manchester United days — had volleyed a screamer from out on the right wing.

But the 'goal' was in vain. For the tremendous solo effort was disallowed for offside.

"It was one of the hardest shots I have ever faced — and

from such an unbelievable angle," said Paul.

"He was particularly good at hitting the ball on the volley — and there was always tremendous force behind it."

Paul got his own back on the winger in a return match at Old Trafford when he tipped a cracker over the bar for a corner.

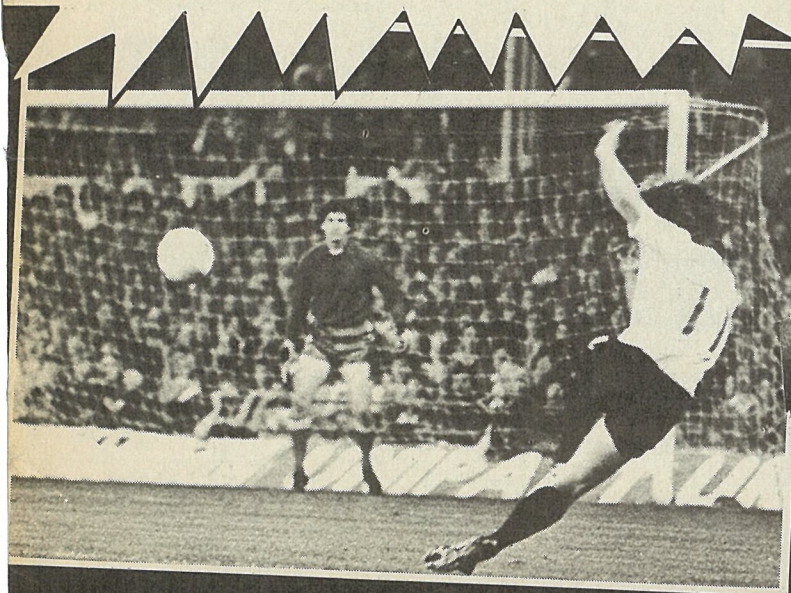
It turned out to be a match-winning save as Ipswich went on to win 1-0.

"I don't think that there is anyone in the game today who hits the ball as hard as Peter Lorimer of Leeds.

"But at Ipswich we have a player who can match anyone — defender Kevin Beattie."

Far left: Gordon Hill fires a left foot 'screamer'.

Left: 'Paul Cooper — Hill, Beattie and Lorimer are the best.'



SOCCER has come in for some rough treatment this season from the media because of the violence that has sparked from some of the criminals it appears to attract.

There's no denying either that hooliganism is a key factor in the drop in attendances at matches.

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The Editor

Willie's walk

THE TROUBLE torn career of former Scotland and West Brom star Willie Johnston took yet another turn for the worse when he was ordered off for the 13th time in the fiery League Cup clash against Aberdeen at Ibrox. Playing in his fifth match for Rangers since his £40,000 move from Vancouver Whitecaps he came on as sub for Tommy McLean, clashed with Aberdeen's John McMaster and was promptly ordered inside. McMaster received treatment for stud marks on his neck.

Speedy Saints

REFEREE J. B. Worrall found time for a quick word with Kevin Keegan during a short pause in the recent all-action match between Sunderland and Southampton at Roker Park.

"I've never known a team like Southampton for going from defence to attack so quickly," gasped an out-of-breath Mr Worrall.

"Nor me," puffed Kevin. "You're not the only one having a job keeping up!"

Alex back for good

ABERDEEN youngster Alex McLeish has opted for a place in the back four at Pittodrie and now looks set to realise his enormous potential with the Scottish champions.

The 21-year-old flame-haired Alex has switched between midfield and defence and has occupied both spots for Scotland as well as his club.

But now manager Alex Ferguson is playing him regularly at the back.

"I miss midfield because you are more involved for longer periods," Alex told Match. "But I have advantages of height and strength which I can make better use of at the back."

He has never regretted his move north from Barrhead four years ago when he was snatched from under the noses of Celtic and Rangers by top scout Bobby Calder.

"My Dad was all for me joining the Dons," he adds. "He reckoned I would get the chance to break through more quickly than with either of the old Firm. He was right."



Aberdeen's Alex McLeish, who was snatched from under the noses of Rangers and Celtic, has settled into the back four.

Goddard—by Allen

CLIVE Allen is predicting a hatful of goals for former team-mate Paul Goddard, the player who followed him out of the QPR gates but remained in the Second Division.

"It would be nice to meet Paul again next season in the First Division. West Ham will always create chances and Paul is just the one to take advantage," Clive says.

"He's quick, brave and will make good use of the headed knock-ons from David Cross."

Clive, himself, is pleased with life at Crystal Palace and looking forward to the Boxing Day clash with short-time employers, Arsenal.

"I bear no malice against Terry Neill — despite the fact that he got rid of me before I'd even played a League game."

"Terry told me that his new 4-3-3 system hadn't worked out in pre-season games and he was going to revert to 4-4-2 which would mean me being left out."

"I wouldn't have minded that. I'd have been prepared to wait."

Clough's 'out of sight' says Ian Wallace

IAN Wallace is happy to be working with that feared managerial duo Brian Clough and Peter Taylor — because he hardly ever sees them!

"I think sometimes you can get too used to a manager," Nottingham Forest's Ian told Match.

"At Coventry Gordon Milne was much more involved with the team, but you don't see so much of Brian Clough and Peter Taylor."

"Obviously it's early days for me but I have been very impressed by their ability to motivate players."

"My role has changed slightly at Forest. I'm not being asked to do as much defending."

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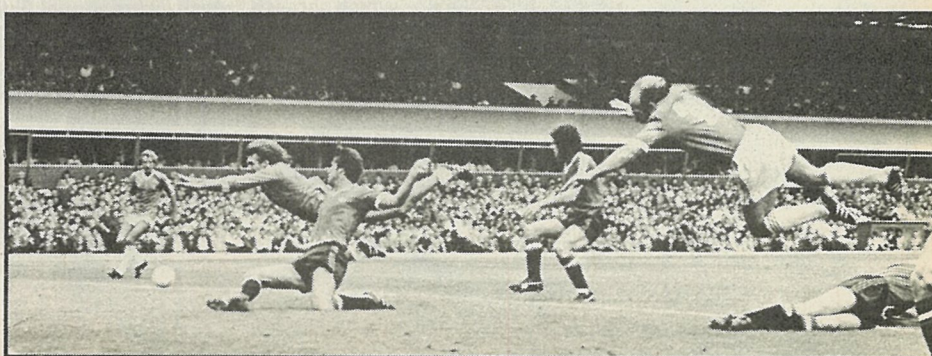
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THE Soviet gymnasts are in London this month for an exhibition and judging by this picture sent to me by Midlands photographer Bill Goulden, Birmingham's Keith Bertschin (left) and Archie Gemmill are after auditions!

Despite their efforts neither connected with this cross in the 0-0 draw with Manchester United, though I hear the Red Arrows are watching their progress closely!

RED ARROWS?



Red-hot favourites

LIVERPOOL emerged as favourites to land the only domestic trophy that has eluded them when they pulled Third Division strugglers Swindon out of the hat when the League Cup Third Round draw was made.

Though Swindon are famed cup fighters and former winners of the trophy, their form suggests a visit to Anfield next week will end their dreams for another year.

The draw has also thrown up a couple of 'Capital crackers' with the clash of the big signings Archibald (Spurs) v Allen (Palace) and Charlton v West Ham.

Stockport, shock winners over Sunderland, pulled out a plum in the shape of Arsenal.

Finally, what have Don Masson, Howard Kendall and Clive Woods in common? It's simple — all take on their former clubs... Don against QPR, Howard against Birmingham and Clive against

Ipswich in the big East Anglian derby.

It's looks a fascinating week of matches why not join me and predict the outcome of the games. I certainly reckon I can do better than my colleague Paul Stratton (see Paul's Predictions later in this issue) at picking winners.

| Cup draw | My score | Your score | Result |
|------------------------|----------|------------|--------|
| Brighton v Coventry | 2-0 | ..... | ..... |
| Camb U v A Villa | 1-3 | ..... | ..... |
| Stockport v Arsenal | 0-1 | ..... | ..... |
| Spurs v C Palace | 1-1 | ..... | ..... |
| Luton v Man City | 1-0 | ..... | ..... |
| Bury v Forest | 0-2 | ..... | ..... |
| Everton v WBA | 0-0 | ..... | ..... |
| Birmingham v Blackburn | 1-0 | ..... | ..... |
| Sheff. Wed. v Watford | 2-1 | ..... | ..... |
| Liverpool v Swindon | 2-0 | ..... | ..... |
| Notts C v QPR | 0-2 | ..... | ..... |
| Barnsley v Cardiff | 1-1 | ..... | ..... |
| Charlton v West Ham | 2-3 | ..... | ..... |
| Bristol R v Portsmouth | 1-0 | ..... | ..... |
| Preston v Oxford U | 3-1 | ..... | ..... |
| Ipswich v Norwich | 2-0 | ..... | ..... |



Match Chat

Compiled by Bob Warters

'I'll return' — Aleksic

"I HIT the ground and could feel my front teeth resting on my tongue. I knew at once it was bad..."

Milija Aleksic's words after his horrific mid-air collision with Joe Jordan in Tottenham's FA Cup victory at Manchester United described the pain — but can't explain the setback to his career.

He had enjoyed a marvellous game up to then and a reaction save from Sammy McIlroy won BBC TV's Save of the Season competition.

The mouth and knee injuries finished Milija for the rest of the season but his long road to recovery is almost complete and he'll soon be knocking on the White Hart Lane first-team door.

But he said: "To be honest I'm not worrying about first-team football at the moment. I'm just pleased to be playing in the Reserves again.

"I'm not going to start worrying about colliding with people — the time I start to fear contact is the time to pack in."



SPOT THE STAR

WHO's the famous face behind the lens?

I'm giving a Match football away to the first correct entry plucked out of the total postbag on September 26.

It's not as tough a teaser as it looks, especially if I reveal that it was taken at Wembley in August and the player featured topped two polls last season.

Again I was bowled over by the bumper entry to my caption contest on August 30, which showed French International Didier Six and Argentinian Daniel Passarella on hands and knees.

Many of you went for gags about lost contact lenses and undersoil heating, but the one that caught my eye came from 10-year-old Alan Stitt, of 15 Selcroft Road, Purley, Surrey.

He has Six saying: "I go in for the low crosses!"

Nice one, Alan, and a super football is on its way to you.

Entries please on a postcard to Matchline (Camera), Match Weekly, Midgate House, Midgate, Peterborough.

Double tragedy

MONTROSE defender Keith Joss recently made his comeback after 17 months out of action with a broken leg. In his first match against Arbroath he broke the same leg again — in a different place! How's that for bad luck.

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| 1 Everton | 42 | 29 | 8 | 5 | 72 | 34 | 66 |
| 2 Leeds | 42 | 21 | 15 | 6 | 84 | 49 | 57 |
| 3 Chelsea | 42 | 21 | 13 | 8 | 70 | 50 | 55 |
| 4 Derby | 42 | 22 | 9 | 11 | 64 | 37 | 53 |
| 5 Liverpool | 42 | 20 | 11 | 11 | 65 | 42 | 51 |
| 6 Coventry | 42 | 19 | 11 | 12 | 58 | 48 | 49 |
| 7 Newcastle | 42 | 17 | 13 | 12 | 57 | 35 | 47 |
| 8 Man United | 42 | 14 | 17 | 11 | 68 | 61 | 45 |
| 9 Stoke | 42 | 15 | 15 | 12 | 56 | 52 | 45 |
| 10 Man City | 42 | 16 | 11 | 15 | 55 | 48 | 43 |
| 11 Tottenham | 42 | 17 | 9 | 16 | 54 | 55 | 43 |
| 12 Arsenal | 42 | 12 | 18 | 12 | 51 | 49 | 42 |
| 13 Wolves | 42 | 12 | 16 | 14 | 55 | 57 | 40 |
| 14 Burnley | 42 | 12 | 15 | 15 | 56 | 61 | 39 |
| 15 Nottm Forest | 42 | 10 | 18 | 14 | 50 | 71 | 38 |
| 16 WBA | 42 | 14 | 9 | 19 | 58 | 66 | 37 |
| 17 West Ham | 42 | 12 | 12 | 18 | 51 | 60 | 36 |
| 18 Ipswich | 42 | 10 | 11 | 21 | 40 | 63 | 31 |
| 19 Southampton | 42 | 6 | 17 | 19 | 46 | 67 | 29 |
| 20 Crystal Palace | 42 | 6 | 15 | 21 | 34 | 68 | 27 |
| 21 Sunderland | 42 | 6 | 14 | 22 | 30 | 68 | 26 |
| 22 Sheff Wed | 42 | 8 | 9 | 25 | 40 | 71 | 25 |

SECOND DIVISION

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | Pts |
|-----------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|
| 1 Huddersfield | 42 | 24 | 12 | 6 | 68 | 37 | 60 |
| 2 Blackpool | 42 | 20 | 13 | 9 | 56 | 45 | 53 |
| 3 Leicester | 42 | 19 | 13 | 10 | 64 | 50 | 51 |
| 4 Middlesbrough | 42 | 20 | 10 | 12 | 55 | 45 | 50 |
| 5 Swindon | 42 | 17 | 16 | 9 | 57 | 47 | 50 |
| 6 Sheff United | 42 | 22 | 5 | 15 | 73 | 38 | 49 |
| 7 Cardiff | 42 | 18 | 13 | 11 | 61 | 41 | 49 |
| 8 Blackburn | 42 | 20 | 7 | 15 | 54 | 50 | 47 |
| 9 QPR | 42 | 17 | 11 | 14 | 66 | 57 | 45 |
| 10 Millwall | 42 | 15 | 14 | 13 | 56 | 56 | 44 |
| 11 Norwich | 42 | 16 | 11 | 15 | 49 | 46 | 43 |
| 12 Carlisle | 42 | 14 | 13 | 15 | 58 | 56 | 41 |
| 13 Hull | 42 | 15 | 11 | 16 | 72 | 70 | 41 |
| 14 Bristol City | 42 | 13 | 13 | 16 | 54 | 50 | 39 |
| 15 Oxford | 42 | 12 | 15 | 15 | 35 | 42 | 39 |
| 16 Bolton | 42 | 12 | 12 | 18 | 54 | 61 | 36 |
| 17 Portsmouth | 42 | 13 | 9 | 20 | 66 | 80 | 35 |
| 18 Birmingham | 42 | 11 | 11 | 20 | 51 | 78 | 33 |
| 19 Watford | 42 | 9 | 13 | 20 | 44 | 57 | 31 |
| 20 Charlton | 42 | 7 | 17 | 18 | 35 | 76 | 31 |
| 21 Aston Villa | 42 | 8 | 13 | 21 | 36 | 62 | 29 |
| 22 Preston | 42 | 8 | 12 | 22 | 43 | 63 | 28 |

THIRD DIVISION

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | Pts |
|------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|
| 1 Orient | 46 | 25 | 12 | 9 | 67 | 36 | 62 |
| 2 Luton | 46 | 23 | 14 | 9 | 77 | 43 | 60 |
| 3 Bristol Rovers | 46 | 20 | 16 | 10 | 80 | 59 | 56 |
| 4 Fulham | 46 | 20 | 15 | 11 | 81 | 55 | 55 |
| 5 Brighton | 46 | 23 | 9 | 14 | 57 | 43 | 55 |
| 6 Mansfield | 46 | 21 | 11 | 14 | 70 | 49 | 53 |
| 7 Barnsley | 46 | 19 | 15 | 12 | 68 | 59 | 53 |
| 8 Reading | 46 | 21 | 11 | 14 | 87 | 77 | 53 |
| 9 Rochdale | 46 | 18 | 10 | 18 | 69 | 60 | 46 |
| 10 Bradford City | 46 | 17 | 12 | 17 | 57 | 50 | 46 |
| 11 Doncaster | 46 | 17 | 12 | 17 | 52 | 54 | 46 |
| 12 Walsall | 46 | 17 | 12 | 17 | 54 | 67 | 46 |
| 13 Torquay | 46 | 14 | 17 | 15 | 62 | 59 | 45 |
| 14 Rotherham | 46 | 15 | 14 | 17 | 62 | 54 | 44 |
| 15 Shrewsbury | 46 | 13 | 18 | 15 | 62 | 63 | 44 |
| 16 Tranmere | 46 | 14 | 16 | 16 | 56 | 72 | 44 |
| 17 Plymouth | 46 | 16 | 11 | 19 | 56 | 64 | 43 |
| 18 Halifax | 46 | 14 | 15 | 17 | 47 | 63 | 43 |
| 19 Bury | 46 | 15 | 11 | 20 | 75 | 80 | 41 |
| 20 Gillingham | 46 | 13 | 13 | 20 | 52 | 64 | 39 |
| 21 Bournemouth | 46 | 12 | 15 | 19 | 48 | 71 | 39 |
| 22 Southport | 46 | 14 | 10 | 22 | 48 | 66 | 38 |
| 23 Barrow | 46 | 8 | 14 | 24 | 46 | 81 | 30 |
| 24 Stockport | 46 | 6 | 11 | 29 | 27 | 71 | 23 |

FOURTH DIVISION

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | Pts |
|----------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|
| 1 Chesterfield | 46 | 27 | 10 | 9 | 77 | 32 | 64 |
| 2 Wrexham | 46 | 26 | 9 | 11 | 84 | 49 | 61 |
| 3 Swansea | 46 | 21 | 18 | 7 | 66 | 45 | 60 |
| 4 Port Vale | 46 | 20 | 19 | 7 | 61 | 33 | 59 |
| 5 Brentford | 46 | 20 | 16 | 10 | 58 | 39 | 56 |
| 6 Aldershot | 46 | 20 | 13 | 13 | 78 | 65 | 53 |
| 7 Notts County | 46 | 22 | 8 | 16 | 73 | 62 | 52 |
| 8 Lincoln | 46 | 17 | 16 | 13 | 66 | 52 | 50 |
| 9 Peterborough | 46 | 17 | 14 | 15 | 77 | 69 | 48 |
| 10 Colchester | 46 | 17 | 14 | 15 | 64 | 63 | 48 |
| 11 Chester | 46 | 21 | 6 | 19 | 58 | 66 | 48 |
| 12 Scunthorpe | 46 | 18 | 10 | 18 | 67 | 65 | 46 |
| 13 York | 46 | 16 | 14 | 16 | 55 | 62 | 46 |
| 14 Northampton | 46 | 16 | 12 | 18 | 64 | 55 | 44 |
| 15 Crewe | 46 | 16 | 12 | 18 | 51 | 51 | 44 |
| 16 Grimsby | 46 | 14 | 15 | 17 | 54 | 58 | 43 |
| 17 Southend | 46 | 15 | 10 | 21 | 59 | 85 | 40 |
| 18 Exeter | 46 | 14 | 11 | 21 | 57 | 59 | 39 |
| 19 Oldham | 46 | 13 | 13 | 20 | 60 | 65 | 39 |
| 20 Worthington | 46 | 12 | 14 | 20 | 46 | 64 | 38 |
| 21 Newport | 46 | 13 | 11 | 22 | 53 | 74 | 37 |
| 22 Darlington | 46 | 13 | 10 | 23 | 53 | 73 | 36 |
| 23 Hartlepool | 46 | 10 | 10 | 26 | 42 | 82 | 30 |
| 24 Bradford PA | 46 | 6 | 11 | 29 | 41 | 96 | 23 |

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

SCOTTISH FIRST DIVISION

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | Pts |
|--------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|
| 1 Celtic | 34 | 27 | 3 | 4 | 96 | 33 | 57 |
| 2 Rangers | 34 | 19 | 7 | 8 | 67 | 40 | 45 |
| 3 Hibernian | 34 | 19 | 6 | 9 | 65 | 40 | 44 |
| 4 Hearts | 34 | 13 | 12 | 9 | 50 | 36 | 38 |
| 5 Dundee United | 34 | 16 | 6 | 12 | 62 | 64 | 38 |
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| 10 Morton | 34 | 13 | 9 | 12 | 52 | 52 | 35 |
| 11 Motherwell | 34 | 11 | 10 | 13 | 49 | 51 | 32 |
| 12 Airdrieonians | 34 | 12 | 8 | 14 | 59 | 64 | 32 |
| 13 St Johnstone | 34 | 11 | 9 | 14 | 50 | 62 | 31 |
| 14 Ayr | 34 | 12 | 6 | 16 | 37 | 52 | 30 |
| 15 St Mirren | 34 | 8 | 9 | 17 | 39 | 54 | 25 |
| 16 Clyde | 34 | 9 | 7 | 18 | 34 | 56 | 25 |
| 17 Raith | 34 | 5 | 11 | 18 | 32 | 67 | 21 |
| 18 Partick Thistle | 34 | 5 | 7 | 22 | 41 | 82 | 17 |

SCOTTISH SECOND DIVISION

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | Pts |
|------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|
| 1 Falkirk | 36 | 25 | 6 | 5 | 94 | 34 | 56 |
| 2 Cowdenbeath | 36 | 24 | 7 | 5 | 81 | 35 | 55 |
| 3 Queen of the S | 36 | 22 | 6 | 8 | 72 | 49 | 50 |
| 4 Stirling | 36 | 18 | 10 | 8 | 70 | 40 | 46 |
| 5 Arbroath | 36 | 20 | 4 | 12 | 76 | 39 | 44 |
| 6 Alloa | 36 | 19 | 5 | 12 | 62 | 41 | 43 |
| 7 Dumbarton | 36 | 17 | 6 | 13 | 55 | 46 | 40 |
| 8 Montrose | 36 | 15 | 7 | 14 | 57 | 55 | 37 |
| 9 Berwick | 36 | 15 | 5 | 16 | 67 | 55 | 35 |
| 10 East Fife | 36 | 15 | 4 | 17 | 59 | 63 | 34 |
| 11 Albion | 36 | 14 | 5 | 17 | 53 | 64 | 33 |
| 12 E. Stirling | 36 | 14 | 5 | 17 | 58 | 75 | 33 |
| 13 Clydebank | 36 | 10 | 10 | 16 | 47 | 65 | 30 |
| 14 Brechin | 36 | 11 | 6 | 19 | 47 | 74 | 28 |
| 15 Queen's Park | 36 | 10 | 6 | 20 | 38 | 62 | 26 |
| 16 Stenhousemuir | 36 | 10 | 6 | 20 | 47 | 89 | 26 |
| 17 Stranraer | 36 | 9 | 7 | 20 | 56 | 75 | 25 |
| 18 Forfar | 36 | 11 | 1 | 24 | 55 | 83 | 23 |
| 19 Hamilton | 36 | 8 | 4 | 24 | 42 | 92 | 20 |

MATCH writer Anthony Hawkswell this week comes face to face with two of the country's brightest young prospects.

From overalls to an England shirt

THE ROKER roar greeted Shaun Elliott as he stepped out to make his debut for England B last season.

For the 23-year-old Sunderland defender was playing his first game in an England shirt in front of his home fans and just a few miles from his birthplace.

"The match was the highlight of my career so far. Pulling on an England shirt and playing in front of my own crowd was incredible.

"It is every player's ambition to play for his country — but on your home ground it really is the icing on the cake."

Over 14,000 fans turned up to see England beat Spain 1-0 thanks to a goal from Russell Osman in an unforgettable game for Shaun.

It was a dream come true for Elliott, who once thought he had missed out on a career in football altogether.

"I was aware that a number of teams were interested in me as a schoolboy — but none of the initial enquiries were followed up.

"When I left school I worked in a garage as a mechanic for over a year. I thought my chance had gone."

But the break came when Shaun was spotted by a Sunderland scout playing for his local Haydon Bridge team.

Shaun Elliott Fact File

BIRTHPLACE: Haydon Bridge, Sunderland.

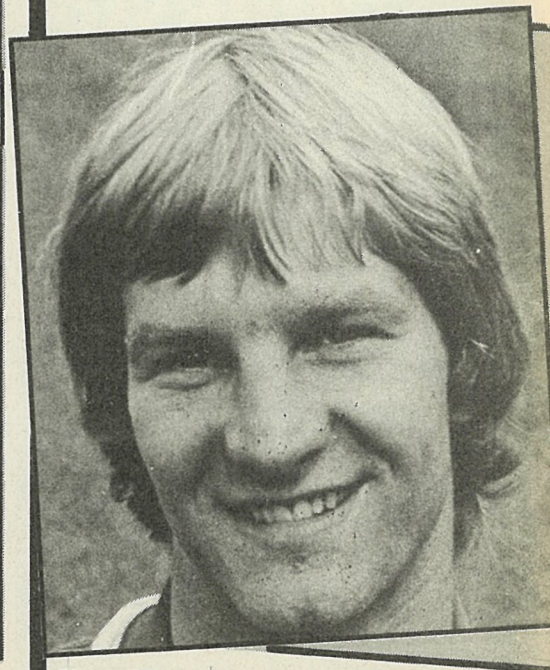
BIRTHDATE: January 26, 1957. CAREER:

Sunderland. LEAGUE DEBUT: January 15,

1977 v Leicester City. LEAGUE

APPEARANCES: Sunderland (134).

INTERNATIONAL APPEARANCES: One England B Cap v Spain 'B'.



Shaun Elliott — pulling on an England shirt was the highlight of his career.

Tipped

for the

top

Guest Spot

Tommy English

SKY BLUE TARGET

THE HONEYMOON is over for Coventry City's exciting young kids. This season they have been set a top six target by manager Gordon Milne.

The Midlands youngsters — who surprised many people last season, including champions Liverpool — know exactly what is required of them this term.

And their 18-year-old England Youth international Tommy English is convinced that this season City will be challenging at the top of the table.

"Our target is the top six and we are capable of that. As far as I see it we don't have too much to worry about," says Tommy.

"Top teams like Liverpool, Arsenal, Aston Villa, Manchester United and Ipswich will always be up there at the top — but after that there's little to choose from."

And Tommy, who helped blast Manchester United out of the League Cup with a late goal at Old Trafford in the first leg, believes that United are still a team to watch.

"Although they had an indifferent start to the season people forgot that they have been playing without four internationals."

"They lost 1-0 here, but played well against us. When they are back to full strength they will cause a lot of problems," he said.

Although Tommy expects Coventry to do well he knows that this season will be much harder than last.

"We were an unknown quantity last term and teams gave us more space. This year we'll be marked much tighter."

But the star treatment from defenders does not seem to have blunted his goalscoring instincts. As well as his Old Trafford shocker he also scored against Arsenal in the League to notch up two goals in the first two weeks of the season.

'Pressure? We'll cope'

COVENTRY City's youngsters have not suffered from the pressure of life at the top — even though other First Division teams are paying them a lot more attention.

"Many of us have come through the youth ranks together so there's been no problem adjusting to the first team — its just been a natural progression," said Tommy.

"If I had made it into the first team on my own I suppose there could have been a problem — but as we all came in together we have been able to cope with the problems."

On a personal note Tommy has his own target for the season — a place in the England Under 21 team.

"I would love to represent England at full international level — but at the moment I am aiming for a place in the young side."

"I have already experienced success in an England shirt — I won a Youth Cup medal in Spain last year — and it would be great to play for the full side at Wembley."

"On the club side I would love to play for Coventry in the Cup Final."

Off the field, with his jet-black hair neatly groomed it is not difficult to spot that Tommy's idol is the great Elvis Presley!

Guest Spot

Shaun Elliott

How it feels to be a giant-killers victim!

SUNDERLAND were one of the first giant killing victims of the new season when they were knocked out of the second round of the League Cup by Fourth Division Stockport County. They lost 2-1 at home to go out 3-2 on aggregate.

"It was a disastrous match for us," says Shaun "and one that is best forgotten. Stockport played very well and deserved their victory."

"After a defeat like that it makes the players even more determined to make up for it in the next game. That's why many beaten teams bounce back with a good result."

"A bad display like that usually takes me a day to get over. I will go home and keep waking up at night going over my mistakes."

"It is good to get back to training where we can forget about it."

TOMMY ENGLISH FACTFILE

BIRTHPLACE: Cirencester.

BIRTHDAY: October 18, 1961.

CAREER: Coventry City. LEAGUE

DEBUT: v Stoke City, August

1979. LEAGUE APPEARANCES: Coventry 40 (14 goals).

INTERNATIONAL APPEARANCES: Six England Youth caps.

Right: Coventry City striker Tom English races past Ipswich defender Russell Osman.

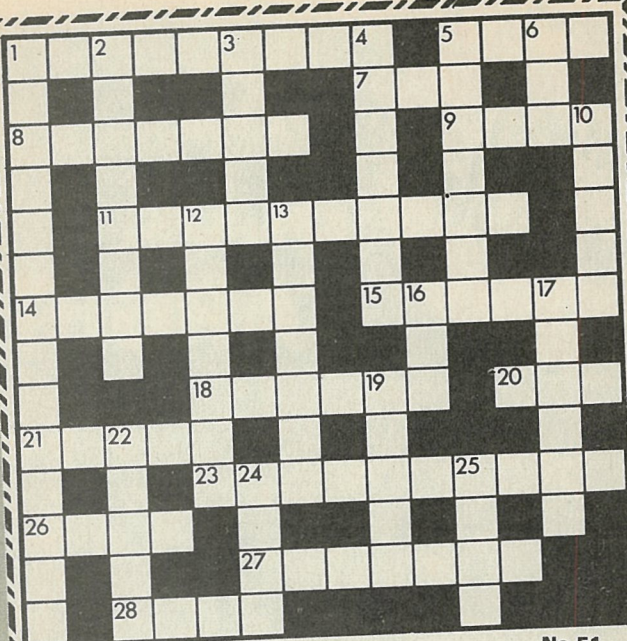


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No 51

Name Age.....

Address.....

Across

1. Fourth Division side.
5. Peterborough's nickname.
7. Scottish team.
8. Birmingham regular.
9. International side for which Liam Brady plays.
11. Turn Nat Lothtoz into Hungary's defecting goalkeeper. (6,4 anagram)
14. Match official.
15. Number of minutes played in an incident-free match.
18. Notts County's midfield general.
20. Obtain one and you move on to the next round without playing.
21. Could be Coppell.
23. Stoke midfielder whose name contains that of a Wolves striker.
26. What most teams hope to obtain by half-time.
27. This year's losing FA Cup Finalists.
28. Bowles or Cummins?

Down

1. Birmingham midfielder. (4,10)
2. Goalkeeper in Italy's unsuccessful European Championship team. (4,4)
3. Leicester defender whose name suggests he comes from North of the border.
4. Bristol City Trevor.
5. The Proud North End.
6. --- Matt Busby.
10. This Derby player sounds rough!
12. Turn Mr Emilio into a one-time Leeds sharpshooter. (anagram)
13. Spurs goalie injured in an F.A. Cup Third Round replay at Old Trafford.
16. and 22. Transform Anne Visa into a Welsh international, transferred from Palace to Barnsley, in March. (3,5)
17. Cloughie's right-hand man.
19. Forest Scot.
22. See 16 down.
24. Arab international side.
25. Neither win nor lose.

HAPPY DAZE

HERE'S a miniquiz with a difference . . . or, rather, a similarity. We won't tell you what it is because that'll make the quiz a doddle, but we bet it'll take you all week to do it.

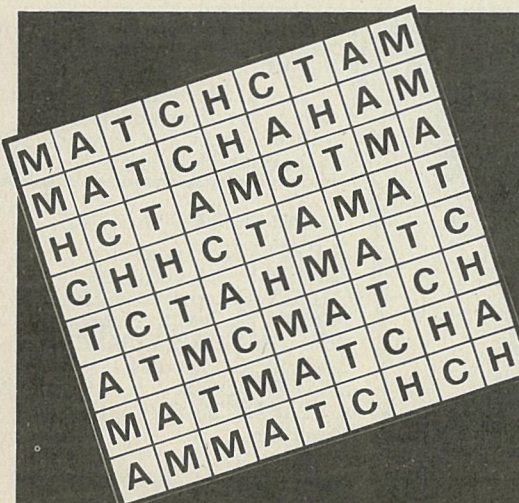
1. Make a one-word anagram of the bold names of **Don McAllister** and **Larry May**.
2. Do the same for **Ade Coker** and **Heinz Stuy**.
3. Identify **half** a Yorkshire club.
4. Geoff's surname (slightly changed) **and** Mervyn's.
5. Striker Robin who played for Reading and Cardiff in the 1970s.
6. Change a stud, Ray!
7. Last season a team called Lobster won the FA . . . Cup.

SOLUTION: If you answered the questions in five minutes, well done! But we still win our bet that you would need all week to do it because the answers are: 1. Monday. 2. Tuesday. 3. (Sheffield) Wednesday. 4. Thursday (Hurst + Day). 5. (Robin) Friday. 6. Saturday (anagram). 7. Sunday.



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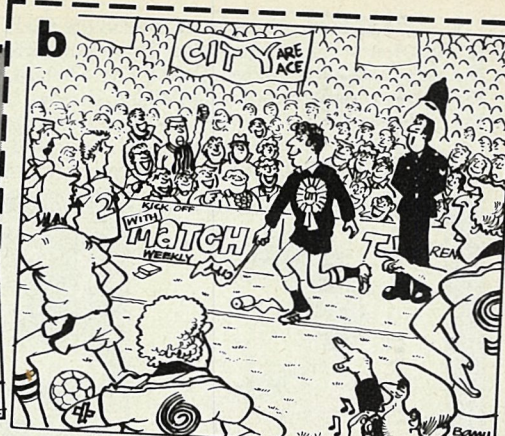


MATCH PLAY

HOW many times can you find the word **MATCH** in this word square? (It can be read from left to right, from right to left, upwards, downwards and diagonally.)

SOLUTION: Fifteen times.

YOUR QUIZ AND PUZZLE PAGE



Name _____ Age _____
Address _____
Choice of team _____

No. 30

25

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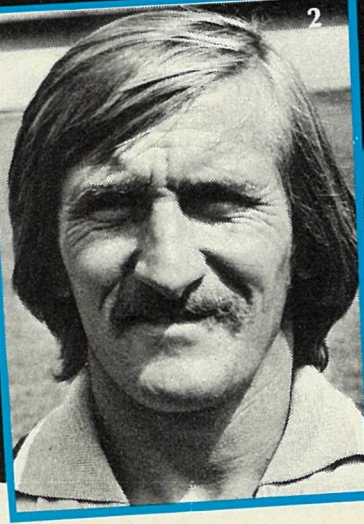
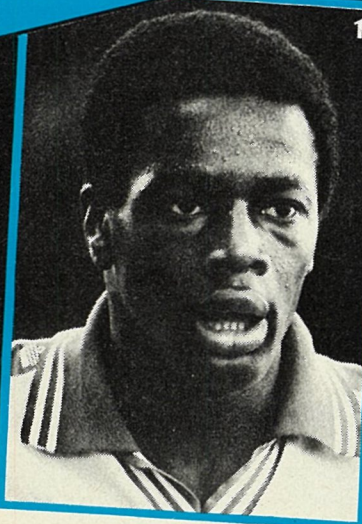
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PLACE THE FACE

Can you name the
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SOLUTION: 1. Justin Fashanu
(Norwich), 2. Tommy Hutchison
(Coventry), 3. Bryan Robson
(WBA).

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IT'S THERE! Andy Peake (just out of picture to the right) rifles his shot wide of the groping Clemence as, from the left, Bobby Smith (11), Phil Neal (2), John O'Neill (6), Ian Wilson (10) and Graeme Souness (11) admire its ferocity.

ANDY'S

*Power
Drive*

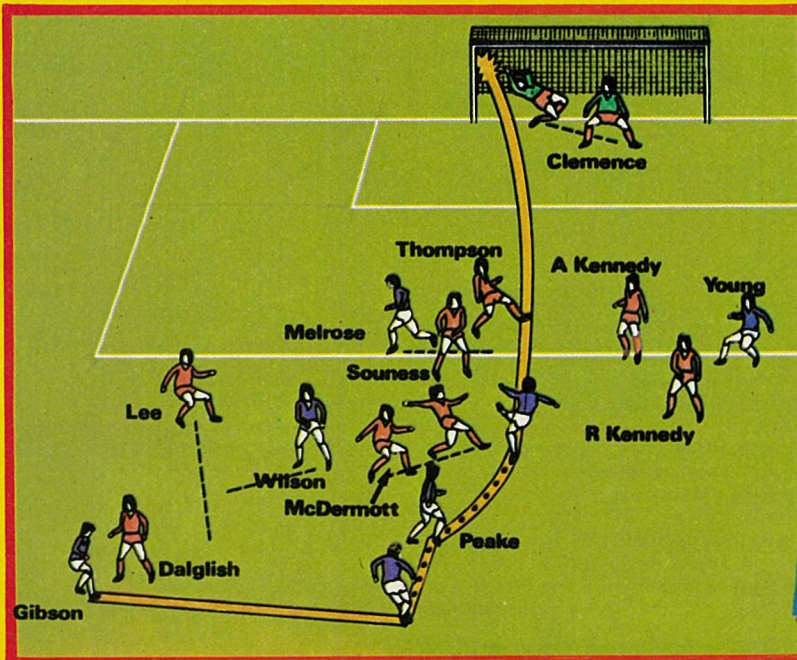
ANDY PEAKE (Leicester City) v Liverpool, Football League Division One, Saturday, August 23, Filbert Street.

"It must rate as the best I've scored," Andy told MATCH WEEKLY, "especially as it was against Liverpool and Ray Clemence.

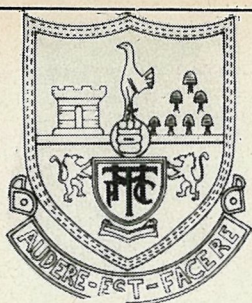
"Billy Gibson played a free-kick square to me ten yards inside the Liverpool half and Terry McDermott came to block the cross to the far post, but then stood off me. I took it forward and just whacked it.

"I was really pleased with the way it flew into the net."

Substitute Martin Henderson grabbed a second Leicester goal 11 minutes from the end.



● Andy Peake, Leicester hero.



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Cyrille Regis



THERE'S no better sight in football than a big striker climbing at the far post to thud a header into the roof of the net.

Dad will tell you about men like John Charles, Jeff Astle, Bobby Smith and Ron Davies of their era.

And today none rate better than Albion's Young England goalscorer Cyrille Regis, who completes his stint at the Match Weekly Soccer School with some tips on heading for goal.

TARGET HEADING



Eyes fixed firmly on the ball timing your spring to hit it firmly with your forehead.

A STRIKER can expect to receive crosses at all angles and heights. So it's always important to work on the timing of your headers.

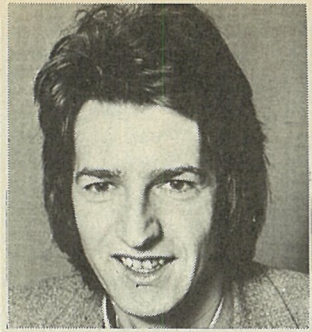
As a kid I used to spend hours heading a ball against a wall, even though I started my career as a winger. And those hours helped to develop my timing when I switched to central attacker.

Because of my build I've got natural spring in my legs, but you may not have this advantage so it's important to practise your timing so your run or jump gets you to the ball first.

As it hits the ball, your head must be moving as fast as possible. Throw your head towards it and whether you are coming full on or side on to the goal strike the ball with the front part of your forehead, keeping your eyes wide open.

One good tip the boss is always telling us is whenever possible head down and pick a spot where the back of the net meets the ground.

Head it at the line and the bounce can take the pace off it and give the 'keeper a second bite at it.



Stratton on Saturday

Keegan's a winner

TITLE contenders Southampton today play hosts to League champions Liverpool down at the Dell in a match that belongs to one man . . . Kevin Keegan.

Up against his old club for the first time since his dramatic return to English soccer, all eyes will be on the England captain to produce something a bit special.

Like a terrier dog with a new owner Kevin will be snapping at the heels of his former master.

And I believe the gods will smile on the new south-coast 'Saint' and his team-mates to bring them victory.

One man with different ideas however will be Liverpool skipper Phil Thompson. But he's only too aware of the tough challenge ahead.

"I know most of his tricks having watched him progress at Liverpool and with England but he's a hard lad to tie down . . . even in a five-a-side match in training," Phil told me.

Match of the Day

But that doesn't mean the champions will man-to-man mark their former team-mate.

"The last time we ever marked anyone like that was years ago when Alan Ball was playing for Everton.

"And Kevin will know that. Now we let the opposition worry about us," said Phil.

The two players have opposed each other before on the park — three years ago when Liverpool beat Hamburg 7-1 over two legs in the Super Cup.

"We beat them 6-0 at Anfield," recalled Phil.

"But Kevin had not been with Hamburg very long. He was still a stranger to the team and he didn't see enough of the ball.

"Now it seems as though he's buzzing again. Just playing against Liverpool will give him a boost."

Phil believes Kevin will get a good reception from both sets of supporters.

"Kevin's always been well-liked at Liverpool — they love the lad," he said.

And there's not many bigger fans than Phil's own mother . . .

"Her heart has a little flutter everytime she sees him. The first thing she does when England are playing is look for Kevin.

"I think she'll be rooting for me today . . . but only just," joked Phil.

Can you beat Paul's predictions?

HERE are ten top matches from Saturday's programme and my predicted scoreline's for each game.

There's a space for you to fill in your forecasts, one for dad and a column for the actual results.

Award yourself two points for every score you get right and one point if you get the result right (i.e. home win, away win, draw) but the score line wrong.

Carry your points total forward each week and at the end of the season you will know who the champion forecaster is . . . me, your or dad!

Next week I'll be choosing ten more top matches from up and down the country.

| Match | My forecast | Your forecast | Dad's forecast | RESULT |
|-------------------------|-------------|---------------|----------------|--------|
| Southampton v Liverpool | 2-1 | | | |
| Spurs v Sunderland | 3-1 | | | |
| Birmingham v W.B.A. | 2-2 | | | |
| Blackburn v Grimsby | 1-0 | | | |
| Bristol C. v Notts Cty | 2-0 | | | |
| Blackpool v Brentford | 2-1 | | | |
| Chester v Burnley | 0-1 | | | |
| Aldershot v Mansfield | 1-1 | | | |
| Crewe v Halifax | 1-3 | | | |
| Partick v Aberdeen | 0-2 | | | |

Who won this week?

POINTS SCORED

PAUL

YOURSELF

DAD

Aggregate scores carried forward to next week

PAUL

YOURSELF

DAD



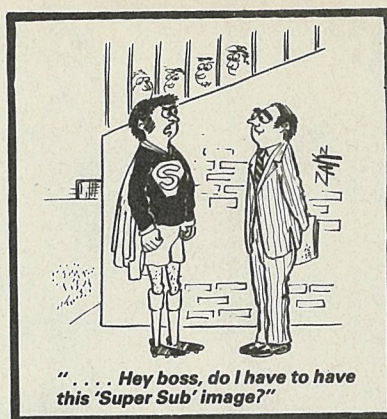
KEVIN Keegan enjoys a moment with former Liverpool team mates Phil Thompson, Ray Clemence, David Johnson and Ray Kennedy at an England get-together . . . they'll be on opposite sides today.



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ANDREW Attwood (15),
Carlisle, Cumbria.
Latest Newsflash . . .
Allison bids £4 million for
Fairclough — but
Coronation Street turn
him down!

ADAM Kassim (12),
Mitcham, Surrey.
Why did the goalkeeper
have a bath before the
match?
So he could keep a clean
sheet.



It's Fun Time

MARK Ward, Wood End,
Coventry.

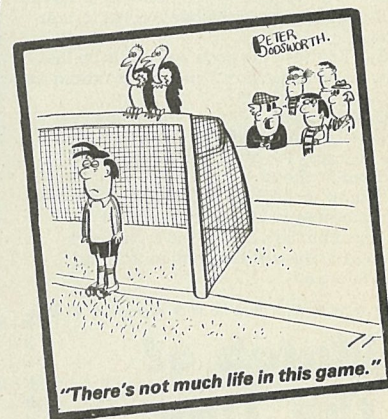
A football fan visits
Rochdale for the first time.
After getting off at the
station he asks a stranger
how to get to the ground.

"Just follow the crowds,"
came the reply.

He did — and ended up at
Woolworth's!

STUART Feakins (14),
Brentwood, Essex.

Everton manager
Gordon Lee went to the
hairdressers and was
asked if he wanted
anything off the top. "Yes
— Liverpool," he replied.



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GLENN HODDLE

*Writes each week
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Touring can be boring. Here I am at Turin Airport before the European Championships when Kevin Keegan, Phil Thompson and I had to wait for our bags.

Football mad — that's the missus!

MY WIFE wasn't interested in football when we first met.

Now she's so keen she's prepared to travel to the away games by herself!

I met Anne at school. She was the daughter of the headmaster of my secondary school, Burnt Mill in Harlow, but it's not true that that's how I got my 'O' levels.

We started courting when I was 12 so by the time we got married — two years ago — we knew each other pretty well!

Anne first got interested in football when I became an apprentice at White Hart Lane.

Now she goes to all the home games and the away ones when the travelling is not too great.

My biggest test yet

THIS season will be the most testing of my career. It will tell me a lot about my strength, fitness and appetite for football.

I only had two weeks break in the summer and when I returned for pre-season training with Spurs it was as if I'd never been away.

The other lads had got right away from football and after their six-week holiday they were raring to pick up the ropes again.

I, too, was quite happy to return. I love football enough to want to play all the time — but whether tiredness and staleness will creep in as the season wears on I don't know.

But I'm not complaining for one minute that I only received two weeks off this summer.

I would rather have had it that way because it meant I was with the England party in Italy — an opportunity I wouldn't have missed for the world.

There was plenty of free time in Italy and it would have been easy to get bored.

But roommate Kenny Sansom and I passed the time thinking of the great

occasion — and the honour of representing your country in the world's second biggest football tournament.

People talk about our long league season and there's no doubt it did affect us more than, say, the Germans or Dutch who play less games.

But I maintain that such an important occasion should be enough to motivate players over the tiredness barrier.

I really enjoyed the European Championship and it was a bonus to get a game in the final match with Spain.

Some people said I had a really good game but I wouldn't agree.

I thought I did all right, but if I'm going to be satisfied with performances like those then it's time to pack it.

That game proved to me what a great manager Ron Greenwood is.

It was my first game of the tour, my first run out for four weeks and in the heat I quickly began to flag.

Just at the moment when it really hit me, Ron Greenwood signalled to me to come off. He knew exactly how I was feeling.

Best I've played in

EVERY Tottenham, Crystal Palace, game I've played in has been a cracker for entertainment... so make sure you don't miss our League Cup third round tie at White Hart Lane next week.

We, of course, have the confidence of that 4-3 victory at Selhurst Park in the second game of the season.

But Palace have so many fine

Left: London derbies, such as our recent one against Arsenal, are always enthralling games.

players — Vince Hilaire, Clive Allen, Mike Flanagan and Billy Gilbert to name but four, that we know it's not going to be an easy touch.

That 4-3 win was probably the best game I've ever played in. It was a humdinger and typical of all our previous tussles.

Both teams have the players to go forward — this is why we produce such good games.

Whenever I've faced Palace I've never thought we would lose — and in fact that's how it's turned out.



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Davies shock for Wales

SEPTEMBER 20, 1977... Shock for Wales as goalkeeper Dai Davies is prevented from entering Kuwait with the Welsh national team because of an Israeli stamp in his passport.

SEPTEMBER 21, 1977... Dai Davies signs for Wrexham from Everton for £8,000.

DAI DAVIES' transfer from Everton to Wrexham went through a day earlier than expected... and all because of that Israeli stamp in his passport.

Dai was turned away from Kuwait airport with the Welsh national side because his passport showed that he had visited Israel six years earlier.

"We knew there would be trouble with my passport so we tried to pretend it had gone missing," said Dai. Apparently a Pan Arabian agreement stopped people travelling to Arab countries if they'd been to Israel.

"But I had to spend the night in the transit lounge. I got about an hour's sleep and was woken up when they started cleaning at 6.30 that morning!

"A while later two policemen with guns told me to get on the next plane to London.

"I was just very disappointed that I missed the game. It was a warm up for our vital World Cup match with Scotland and John Phillips of Chelsea had to go in goal—the game ended 0-0.

"I went to see Wrexham a day early to finalise details of my move from Everton."

That was

KNOW YOUR CLUB 8

LIVERPOOL



Kenny Dalglish

YEAR FORMED: 1892.

NICKNAME: 'Reds' or 'Pool'.

ADDRESS: Anfield Road, Liverpool 4.

TELEPHONE: 051-263 2361.

GROUND CAPACITY: 50,000.

RECORD ATTENDANCE: 61,905 v

Wolves, FA Cup fourth round,

February 2, 1952.

RECORD RECEIPTS: £154,000 Wales

v Scotland, World Cup qualifier,

October 12, 1977.

PITCH MEASUREMENTS: 110 yards

x 75 yards.

FORMER GROUNDS: None.

LEAGUE RECORD: 1893- elected to

league; 1894-95 Division One;

1895-96 Division Two; 1896-1904

Division One; 1904-05 Division Two;

1905-54 Division One; 1954-62

Division Two; 1962-80 Division One.

HONOURS: Division One

champions:— 1900-01; 1905-06;

1921-22; 1922-23; 1946-47; 1963-64;

1965-66; 1972-73; 1975-76; 1976-77;

1978-79; 1979-80; runners up 1898-99;

1909-10; 1968-69; 1973-74; 1974-75;

1977-78. Division Two champions—

1893-94; 1895-96; 1904-05; 1961-62. FA

Cup winners— 1965; 1974.

Runners-up— 1914; 1950; 1971; 1977.

European Cup winners: 1976-77;

1977-78. European Cup-Winners

Cup runners-up 1965-66. UEFA Cup

winners: 1972-73; 1975-76. Super Cup

winners: 1977.

RECORD VICTORY: 11-0 v

Strömsgodset, European Cup

Winners Cup, September 17, 1974.

RECORD DEFEAT: 1-9 v Birmingham

City, Division Two, December 11,

1954.

MOST LEAGUE POINTS: 68,

Division One, 1978-79.

MOST LEAGUE GOALS: 106,

Division Two, 1895-96.

HIGHEST LEAGUE SCORER IN

SEASON: Roger Hunt, 41, Division

Two, 1961-62.

MOST AGGREGATE LEAGUE

GOALS: Roger Hunt, 245, 1959-69.

MOST CAPPED PLAYER: 59, Emlyn

Hughes, England.

MOST LEAGUE APPEARANCES:

640, Ian Callaghan, 1960-78.

RECORD TRANSFER FEE

RECEIVED: £500,000 from Hamburg

SV for Kevin Keegan, June 1977.

RECORD TRANSFER FEE PAID:

£440,000 to Celtic for Kenny

Dalglish, August 1977.

MANAGERS SINCE THE WAR:

George Kay, Don Welsh, Phil

Taylor, Bill Shankly, Bob Paisley.

ADDRESS OF CLUB SHOP: c/o

Anfield Road, Liverpool.

SEPTEMBER 18,
1973-74 . . . Bristol
City goalkeeper Ray
Cashley scores a freak
goal against Hull in a
league match . . . his
huge clearance
bounces past Jeff
Wealands into the
Hull net.

City win 3-1 and are
top of the Second
Division . . .

'Keeper Cashley scores!

RAY Cashley (right) will always
remember that wet and windy
night at Ashton Gate, but at
first he didn't believe it.

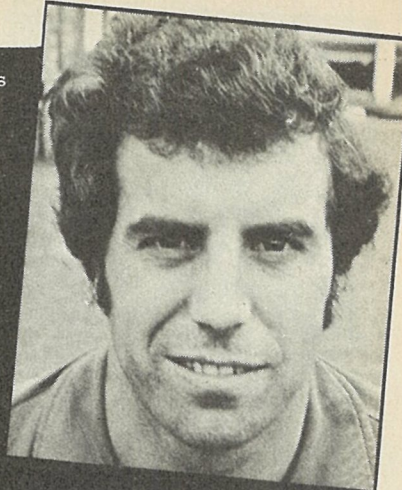
"It came in the second half of
the game," recalled Ray.

"We had been 1-0 down but
we equalised through Tom
Ritchie.

"I got the ball and kicked it
upfield. It bounced by their
18-yard box and then into the
net, but I didn't think it was in.

"It wasn't until some of the
lads congratulated me that I
realised what I'd done. I
thought the ball had hit the
hoardings behind the goal and
bounced back."

A couple of other goalkeepers
have achieved the feat — Pat
Jennings and Peter Shilton
included — and just recently
goalkeeper Marc de Clerck,



Aberdeen's new signing from
Dutch side Twente Enschede,
added his name to the list . . .
by scoring on his debut direct
from a clearance.

the week that was

JENKINS HITS FOUR

SEPTEMBER 23, 1978 . . . Vicarage Road,
Watford . . . Ross Jenkins grabs four goals in
Watford's exciting 4-2 home win over Oxford
. . . Watford go top of Division Three ahead of
Swansea who crash 2-0 at Chester.

ROSS Jenkins doesn't have to dig very deep to recall
his four fantastic goals against Oxford that day — the
scrapbook on his sideboard tells him all he wants to
know.

Ross (right) keeps a book of press cuttings on all his
good games, and surprisingly, his bad ones as well.

But none make better reading than those goals
against Oxford that set the Hornets buzzing — the
only time he's nabbed four in a League game.

Ross said: "I was going through one of those purple
patches when everything came off.

"Only the previous month I'd scored a hat-trick
against Blackpool and a couple of games later I scored
two against Tranmere.

"I think I only had four chances in the Oxford game
— and stuck them all away.

"The best was definitely the third. The ball came
across from the right, got a slight deflection, and
landed at my feet on the edge of the penalty area.

"I chested it down, hit it first time, and it went in
like a rocket."

**Dateline:
September
18-24 . . .**

MATCH Weekly takes on the role of
'Doctor Who' this week as we transport
three star players back in time to re-live the
events that put them in the news headlines
. . . on this, the anniversary of those
momentous soccer occasions.

SEPTEMBER 23, 1977 . . . Nottingham
Forest boss Brian Clough signed
midfield general Archie Gemmill today
for £100,000.

Gemmill was obliged by Derby boss
Tommy Docherty to sign a written
transfer request and forfeit his £6,500
cut so "the supporters know the real
position and do not blame us for
getting rid of him."

'Keeper John Middleton makes the
reverse journey as part of the deal.



Ross Jenkins — purple patch!

SEPTEMBER 20, 1979 . . . Swindon
today swapped one big striker for
another when they signed Andy
Rowland from Bury and sold Chris
Guthrie to Fulham.
Rowland is valued at £85,000 and
Guthrie £65,000.

TERRACE TALK

Readers hit the right note

WE certainly kept you busy when we invited you to link record titles with football personalities.

The discs rolled in with every postbag and as usual we'll pay £10 for what we consider the best selection and £2 for every other letter published.

Now have a go at composing film titles. Send them to 'Film Titles', Match Weekly, Midgate House, Midgate, Peterborough PE1 1UB.

SEND your letters to Terrace Talk, Match Weekly, Midgate House, Midgate, Peterborough PE1 1UB. Full names and addresses please, and your age if you don't mind telling us! Star letter wins £10. All other letters published £2.

Like Clockwork — that's Liverpool

"Tragedy" — the story of Crewe.
 "Two Up, Two Down" — what Bristol City wanted last year.
 "Don't Bring Me Down" — what Malcolm Allison tells his players.
 "Can't Stand Losing You" — Terry Neill's words to Clive Allen.
 "January-February" — months of doom for Jimmy Adamson.
 "So Lonely" — theme song of Bill McGarry.
 "My, Oh My" — what John Bond says every time he sees Norwich play.
 "Like Clockwork" — Liverpool's style of play.
 Nicholas Thomas (17) Swansea

Big Spender

"Don't Give Up On Us" by David Soul — applicable to Jimmy Adamson when talking to the Leeds fans.
 "Too Much Too Young" by The Specials — applicable to Malcolm Allison relying on the youngsters.
 "Big Spender" by Shirley Bassey — also about Malcolm Allison.
 Steven Bradley (11) Nottallerton, N. Yorks

Mindbender Bond

"Reasons To Be Cheerful" by Ian Dury — Rochdale manager Peter Madden tries to think of some.
 "I'm Alive" by E.L.O. — Nottingham Forest's Peter Taylor tries to convince the public that he is.
 "In The Beginning" by the Slits — Brian Clough tells how he created the world.
 "My Mind Goes Round In Circles" by Squire — John Bond tries to explain his way of thinking.
 "Sometimes You Win" by Dr Hook — Is this true? wonders Leeds boss Jimmy Adamson.
 Peter Holmes (15) Brickhill, Bedford

Two pints of lager and a packet of crisps

"Private Life" by Grace Jones — appropriate to Kevin Keegan who doesn't get a lot of it!
 "Lip Up Fatty" by Bad Manners — a stern message to Scunthorpe's Ian Botham.
 "Two Pints Of Lager And A Packet Of Crisps Please" by Splodgeness Abounds — George Best's favourite sentence.
 Joanne Lines, Nursling, Southampton

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"Ashes To Ashes" by David Bowie — Bristol Rovers' North Stand after it had been burned down.
 "Dreaming" by Blondie — Rochdale dreaming if they'll win the FA Cup.
 Sean Rafferty, Catteral Garstang, Lancs

George Best . . . his favourite saying is "Two pints of lager and a packet of crisps please" according to Joanne Lines of Southampton.

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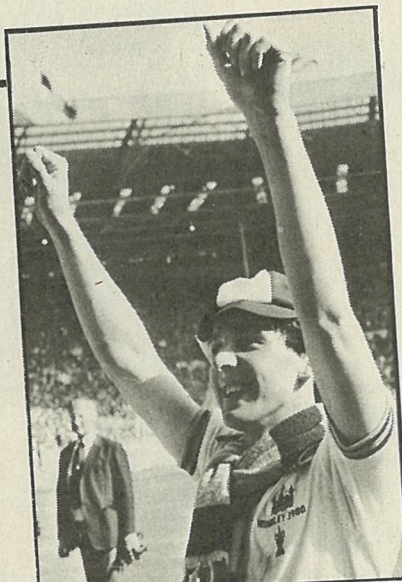
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Paul Allen, jubilant after West Ham's FA Cup win. His smile later turned to tears as Geoff Samways recalls in his 'top ten'.



Madness — that's the transfer market

"I Only Want To Be With You" by The Tourists — what John McGovern says to Brian Clough.
 "So Far Away" by The Chords — the song that Plymouth and Newcastle sing to each other.
 "Don't Cry For Me Argentina" by Julie Covington — the song that Mario Kempes sang as he boarded the 'plane for Spain.
 "Madness" by Madness — the British transfer system.
 "Sound Of Confusion" by Secret Affair — what Clive Allen must be hearing.
 "Private Life" by Grace Jones — the one thing Brian Clough keeps his mouth shut about.
 Paul Wilkinson, Chesham, Bucks

Take a chance on me — Garry Birtles

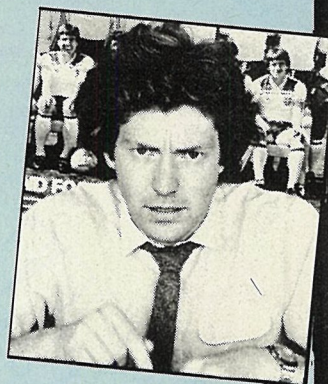
"Ashes To Ashes" — the story of Rochdale FC.
 "Winner Takes All" — Liverpool FC.
 "Dreamin'" — Rochdale in the First Division.
 "Let's Hang On" — Malcolm Allison and Manchester City.
 "Love Will Tear Us Apart" — Brian Clough and Peter Taylor.
 "Take A Chance On Me" — Garry Birtles hoping to get a new club.
 "Gimmi, Gimmi, Gimmi" — Bob Paisley adding more trophies to his collection.
 Richard Bell, Edlington, Doncaster

OUTRAGED!

OK all you know-all's, prepare for your weekly helping of 'Outraged' — the column guaranteed to make you cringe and make me a lot of enemies!

As usual, I've paid £2 this week for the letters that have outraged me and £5 for the 'foul of the week' — the letter that really made my hair stand on end.

Write to me, Trevor Haylett, at Outraged, Match Weekly, Midgate House, Midgate, Peterborough PE1 1UB.



FOUL
OF THE
WEEK

ALLEN HOWLER

IN THE July 5 issue of Match Weekly Trevor Haylett said that Clive Allen will score a hatful of goals for Arsenal. But for your information he didn't play a game for them, never mind score.

So what do you say about that, Trevor?

Stuart Lawrence (16), Bootle, Merseyside.

● Not even I could be considered wise enough to predict that Clive would never play for Arsenal. But I'm still backing him to score a hatful of goals.

League Cup killer

HAVING two legs in the second round of the League Cup kills off the chances of the smaller clubs making Cup upsets which they depend upon to survive.

It also takes away the sudden death excitement for the fans.

Chris Garvey (15), Wembley, Middlesex.

● I, too, missed the sudden death excitement but reckon that clubs like Bradford, Peterborough, Blackpool, Cambridge etc were glad of the two legs.

It will give them more money and a chance to SURVIVE financially — a word you yourself used.

Oh, by the way — have you forgotten Watford.

Lowly teams entertain

I KNOW you think the English First Division is one of the best in the world but I can think of a better one — the Fourth Division.

Last season it produced more goals than the First and was a revelation compared to the "Stop the opposition at all costs" tactics.

I'd much rather watch my team York play than go to a dull, defensive First Division game.

So would a lot of people, as proved by the fact that Division One gates were down last season but the Fourth went up.

Andrew Meek (15), Acomb, York.

● I reckon you're standing on 'yer head son.

Poor Bradford

THE two-leg League Cup business is trash. Poor Bradford City, if their game with Liverpool had been just one leg they would have gone through.

It's good when the big teams lose out — they shouldn't have another bite at the cherry.

Daniel Fenton, Hatfield Peverel, Essex.

● You don't honestly think Liverpool would have lost if it had just been a one-leg game do you?

Boots are made for walking BOB HATTON

HOW about this for my all-time top-ten record chart?

1. "Help" — Malcolm Allison.
2. "Money, Money, Money" — Clive Allen.
3. "What's Another Year" — Geoff Hurst.
4. "Tears" — Paul Allen.
5. "Back Home" — Kevin Keegan.
6. "These Boots Are Made For Walking" — Bob Hatton.
7. "We Don't Talk Anymore" — Garry Birtles to Brian Clough.
8. "I Won't Forget You" — Stan Bowles to Brian Clough.
9. "I'm Into Something Good" — Kenny Sansom.
10. "Words" — Brian Clough.

Geoff Samways, Lymington, Hants.

Keegan won't score — but Saints will

KEVIN Keegan will not score many goals for Southampton this season for one reason — he'll be too tightly marked.

Teams will have at least two defenders on Keegan and it will allow the rest of the Southampton strikers free to strike.

Managers will be in a dilemma what to do as Keegan is deadily if left unmarked. But if they mark him tightly it will create chances for others.

Maybe this is what Mr McMenemy bought him for. Dennis Billing (14), Newton Abbott, S. Devon

Bowles made me fume

AFTER reading Stan Bowles' guest column in Match (August 23) I was fuming when I read he chose Orient instead of Sheffield Wednesday because it didn't occur to him that Wednesday were promoted to the Second Division last year.

Surely one should think about a club's standing before joining it as a professional's career could take so many twists and turns.

It's a pity he didn't think up a better excuse.

Alan France (14½) Sheffield

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Matchmaker Souvenir Special KEVIN KEEGAN



**Anfield debut was
my magic moment**

BIGGEST DISAPPOINTMENT: This year's European Championships.
FAVOURITE OTHER SPORTS: Squash, tennis.
LIKES: Perfume, a good meal.

The best goal I've ever seen

FULL NAME: Joseph Kevin Keegan.
BIRTHDAY: February 14, 1951.
BIRTHPLACE: Armthorpe, near Doncaster.
HEIGHT/WEIGHT: 5ft 7½ins, 11st.
MARRIED: Yes, to Jean.
CHILDREN: Laura Jane (22 months).
CAR: Daimler Sovereign 66.
PREVIOUS CLUBS: Scunthorpe, Liverpool, SV Hamburg.
TRADE BEFORE TURNING PRO: Clerk at a gasworks factory.
CLUB NICKNAME: 'Andy' at Liverpool and 'Mighty Mouse' at Hamburg. I don't have one at Saints — yet.
WORST EVER INJURY: A bad tackle which has left me with a lump above my right knee.
FAVOURITE FOOTBALL LEAGUE PLAYER AND WHY: Ray Train, now at Watford. I saw him play for Carlisle and Sunderland and will never understand why he hasn't become a top Division one player.
FAVOURITE OTHER TEAM: Liverpool.
FAVOURITE FOREIGN PLAYER AND WHY: Hamburg's Manfred Kaltz, a full back, makes and and striker rolled into one. He stops, makes and scores goals.
ALL-TIME INTERNATIONAL XI: The Real Madrid side that beat Eintracht Frankfurt 7-3 in Glasgow in 1960 was just unbelievable.
BEST ALL-TIME BRITISH TEAM: The side that won the World Cup for England in 1966.
FAVOURITE AWAY GROUND: Old Trafford.
FAVOURITE FOREIGN STADIUM: Stade du Parc de Princes, Paris. It's 10 years ahead of its time.
Everyone sits down.
BEST GOAL SCORED: My left foot 'chip' past Eire 'keeper Ron Healey at Wembley in February.
BEST GOAL SEEN SCORED: Justin Fashanu's goal against Liverpool last season which won BBC TV's Goal of the Season.
MOST DIFFICULT OPPONENT: Colin Todd (Birmingham).
MOST MEMORABLE MATCH: For Liverpool in the 1977 European Cup Final against Borussia Monchengladbach. We won 3-1.
OWN MAGIC MOMENT IN FOOTBALL: My League debut at Anfield. I scored after 13 minutes.

autographs and say please. I love good mannered children.
DISLIKES: People smoking in my car.
FAVOURITE TV SHOW: It used to be Candida Camera. Now it's That's Life and Laurel and Hardy when they are on.
TV SHOW YOU SWITCH OFF: Crossroads.
FAVOURITE MUSICIAN/SINGER: Moody Blues and Cliff Richard, he's a smashing fella.
FAVOURITE FOOD: Dover sole.
FAVOURITE DRINK: I'm a tea fanatic.
BEST COUNTRY VISITED: Sweden — it's so clean and the people are friendly.
FAVOURITE ACTOR/ACTRESS: Dustin Hoffman, Olivia Newton John.
BEST FRIENDS: My wife and Mick Channon.
BIGGEST INFLUENCE ON CAREER: My father and Bill Shankly.
WHAT DON'T YOU LIKE ABOUT FOOTBALL: Hooliganism — but I don't know the answer to it.
SUPERSTITIONS: None.
PRE-MATCH MEAL: Dover sole.
INTERNATIONAL HONOURS: 53 full England caps (not including England v Norway). Five England Under 23 caps.
PERSONAL AMBITION: To be happy.
PROFESSIONAL AMBITION: To help Saints achieve something and to win the World Cup with England.
CAREER AFTER PLAYING: To become Editor of Match Weekly!
PLAYERS FOR FUTURE: Graham Baker and Steve Williams at Southampton.
WHO WOULD YOU MOST LIKE TO MEET: Prince Charles. He's a great sport and he'll make a great king.
ADVICE TO YOUNGSTERS: Enjoy your football but don't neglect your school work. There's a big failure rate in football.

Kevin Keegan



Gordon, Joe – guts of United

ELLAND ROAD, Leeds, has not been a cheerful place these last few weeks, with their struggling early season form leading to the resignation of manager Jimmy Adamson.

But I must look at our visit there on Saturday professionally and say that we'll be out to make sure the gloom does not lift at the expense of two points gained from Manchester United.

It's sad when a great club like Leeds finds itself at the foot of the First Division and I know that my team-mates Gordon McQueen, Joe Jordan and Jimmy Greenhoff, all ex-Leeds players, have been watching developments with special interest.

Gordon and Joe would love to be back against their old club on Saturday but their respective knee and ankle ligament injuries are likely to sideline them for a little while yet, leaving Jimmy to make the return trip and another duel with his brother Brian — a former Old Trafford idol.

The loss of Gordon and Joe in the opening weeks of the season has been a key reason for our scoring only four goals in the first five games.

Shooting

It's asking a lot when those two Scots, the guts of our team, are ripped out and then injury robbed us of Ray Wilkins, the heart, too.

But we're grown-ups at Old

Trafford, we've talked about our problems and we think we have done something about it by stepping up our shooting practice and snuffing out the temptation to walk the ball into the net.

Three years ago we scored seven in two games against Leeds. On Saturday we'll be looking to make a good start to a repeat performance — and at least get revenge for that 2-0 defeat in the final game of last season.



Right: Steve Coppell... on the look out for goals at Leeds.

STEVE COPPELL

writes for Match

How to describe a footballer

GARY Bailey and I share a great interest in sports science and attended a series of lectures at Salford University recently.

We found it fascinating but I was particularly intrigued by a handbook I picked up in which a University professor asked students to find different words to describe footballers.

As you can see from the list below, they weren't complimentary and no way am I going to name any players I think would fit the bill — I might have to face them one day!

But just for fun I'd like you to suggest some names and send them to me and I'll send a prize to the ones I think are most amusing.

Argumentative Quarrelsome
Complaining Show-off
Emotional Temperamental
Irritable Touchy

Incidentally, the students were also asked to find adjectives to describe cricketers. They came up with... calm, cautious, civilised, dignified, formal, leisurely, methodical, patient, quiet, relaxed, self controlled, snobbish! Rugby players they described as... aggressive, strong and tough.

I look forward to your suggestions, sent to me c/o Match Weekly, Midgate House, Midgate, Peterborough.

Pleased for Rix, Gates

OF COURSE, I was disappointed not to get the nod for my 26th England cap in the World Cup qualifier with Norway.

But it is always a privilege to be in the squad and I was delighted for Graham Rix and Eric Gates who deservedly gained their first caps and looked impressive in the 4-0 defeat of Norway.

After training on the Monday before the match the squad went along for a sneak preview of the new FA coaching films that have been made in conjunction with the BBC.

There are 14 in the series,



Jimmy Greenhoff fires in a shot against Sunderland. Now he comes face to face with brother Brian at Leeds.

featuring Kevin Keegan, Trevor Brooking, Luther Blissett, Peter Shilton and Vince Hilaire as well as Ron Greenwood, Bobby Robson and Ron Atkinson. After they have been shown on TV

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(Villa); Allen (Palace); Eastoe
(Everton); Wark (Ipswich);
Birtles (Forest); Hawley
(Sunderland); Crooks (Spurs).

SECOND DIVISION

7 — Poskett (Watford)
5 — Garner (Blackburn);
Stevens (Cardiff); Christie
(Notts County); Goddard
(West Ham).

THIRD DIVISION

7 — Glavin (Barnsley); Kemp
(Plymouth).
6 — Morris (Blackpool); Walsh
(Charlton).

5 — Kellow, Neville (Exeter);
Davies (Fulham); Tynan
(Newport); Mayes (Swindon);
Buckley (Walsall).

FOURTH DIVISION

8 — Harford (Lincoln); Cooke
(Peterborough).
7 — Brodie (Aldershot).
6 — Firth (Halifax), Cork
Wimbledon).

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| Birmingham | 6 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 7 | 5 | |
| Wolves | 6 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 5 | |
| Norwich | 6 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 8 | 4 | |
| Brighton | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 7 | 4 | |
| Leicester | 6 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 7 | 4 | |
| Stoke | 6 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 12 | 4 | |
| Man. City | 6 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 7 | 3 | |
| Leeds | 6 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 8 | 3 | |
| Crystal Pal. | 6 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 9 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 8 | 2 | |

DIVISION TWO

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | W | D | L | F | A | P | S |
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| Blackburn | 6 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 4 | 10 | |
| Derby | 6 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 9 | |
| West Ham | 6 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 8 | |
| Notts County | 6 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 8 | |
| Oldham | 6 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 7 | |
| Sheff. Wed. | 6 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 7 | |
| Swansea | 6 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 7 | |
| Newcastle | 6 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 7 | |
| Bolton | 6 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 6 | |
| Orient | 6 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 8 | 6 | |
| Wrexham | 6 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 6 | |
| Watford | 6 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 6 | 6 | |
| Cardiff | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 5 | |
| Chelsea | 6 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 5 | |
| Cambridge | 6 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 5 | |
| Grimsby | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 5 | |
| Preston | 6 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 5 | |
| Luton | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 6 | 5 | |
| Q.P.R. | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 4 | |
| Shrewsbury | 6 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 7 | 4 | |
| Bristol Rvs. | 6 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 4 | |
| Bristol C. | 6 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 3 | |

DIVISION THREE

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | W | D | L | F | A | P | S |
|--------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Charlton | 6 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 9 | |
| Sheffield U. | 6 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 8 | |
| Exeter | 6 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 8 | |
| Plymouth | 6 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 8 | |
| Fulham | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 6 | 8 | |
| Reading | 6 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 7 | 8 | |
| Portsmouth | 6 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 8 | |
| Chesham | 6 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 7 | |
| Walsall | 6 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 7 | |
| Barnsley | 6 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 7 | |
| Blackpool | 6 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 7 | |
| Gillingham | 6 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 6 | |
| Brentford | 6 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 5 | 6 | |
| Barnley | 6 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 6 |
| Newport | 6 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 5 | 5 | |
| Huddersfield | 6 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 5 | |
| Rotherham | 6 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 5 | |
| Millwall | 6 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 5 | |
| Oxford | 6 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 5 | |
| Hull | 6 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 4 | |
| Colchester | 6 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 6 | 4 | |
| Chester | 6 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 4 | |
| Swindon | 6 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 8 | 2 | |
| Carlisle | 6 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 2 | |

DIVISION FOUR

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | W | D | L | F | A | P | S |
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| Lincoln | 6 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 10 | |
| Southend | 6 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 9 | |
| Aldershot | 6 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 9 | |
| Peterboro | 6 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 6 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 2 | 8 | |
| Rochdale | 6 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 7 | 7 | |
| Hartlepool | 6 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 7 | |
| Mansfield | 6 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 7 | |
| Wimbledon | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 3 | 7 | |
| Darlington | 6 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 7 | |
| Stockport | 6 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 4 | 7 | |
| York | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 6 | |
| Doncaster | 6 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 6 | |
| Halifax | 6 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 6 | 6 | |
| Bournemouth | 6 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 6 | |
| Torquay | 6 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 5 | |
| Bradford | 6 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 5 | |
| Bury | 6 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 6 | 4 | |
| Wigan | 5 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 4 | |
| Northampton | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 3 | |
| Tranmere | 6 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 3 | |
| Port Vale | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 7 | 3 | |
| Scunthorpe | 6 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 3 | |
| Crewe | 6 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 3 | |
| Hereford | 6 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 10 | 3 | |

Player ratings

- 10 — Out of this world
- 9 — Outstanding
- 8 — Excellent
- 7 — Good
- 6 — Adequate
- 5 — Off form
- 4 — Poor

Match rating

- ★★★★★ A classic
- ★★★★ Good value
- ★★★ Satisfactory
- ★★ Dull
- ★ Waste of money

(Cont. from last week)

Saturday, Sept. 6

Division Two

DERBY (0) 2 (Biley 52, 59)
BLACKBURN (2) 2 (Kendall, pen 24,
Garner 36)
Att: 18,159
Derby: Jones 6, Emery 6, Buckley 7,
Powell, S 5, Osgood 7, Ramage 5,
Clark 5, Powell, B 6, ★**BILEY** 8,
Wilson 6, Emson 6.
Blackburn: Butcher 6, Branagan 6,
De Vries 6, Kendall 7, Keeley 6,
Fazackerley 6, ★**BROTHERSTON** 8,
Crawford 6 (sub. Stonehouse), Garner
7, McKenzie 6, Speight 7.
Referee: C. Downey (Hounslow)
Match Rating: ★★★

LUTON (0) 1 (Bunn 89)
WREXHAM (0) 1 (Edwards 60)
Att: 8,244
Luton: Findlay 7, Stephens 6,
Donaghy 6, Grealish 6, Saxby 6, Price
6, Hill 7, ★**STEIN** 8, Bunn 5, Antic
5 (sub. West 7), Moss 5.
Wrexham: Davies 7, ★**JONES** 8,
Dwyer 7, Davis 7, Cegielski 7,
Carrodus 7, Vinter 6, Sutton 6,
Edwards 6, McNeil 7, Cartwright 6.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

PREMIER DIVISION

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | W | D | L | F | A | P | S |
|-------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Aberdeen | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 8 | |
| Celtic | 5 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 8 | |
| Rangers | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 4 | 6 | | |
| Airdrie | 5 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 5 | | |
| Dundee Utd. | 5 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 7 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 4 | |
| Hearts | 5 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 4 | | |
| Partick | 5 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 4 | |
| St. Mirren | 5 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 3 | |
| Kilmarnock | 5 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 3 | | |
| Morton | 5 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 9 | 3 | |

Referee: A. Challinor (Rotherham)
Match Rating: ★★

NEWCASTLE (2) 2 (Clarke 19,
Shoulder, pen 33)
CARDIFF (0) 1 (Kitchen 50)
Att: 15,804
Newcastle: Hardwick 8, Carney 7,
Davies 6, Walker 6, Boam 6, Mitchell
5, Shoulder 6, Rafferty 7, Clarke 7,
★**HIBBITT** 9, Koenen 8.
Cardiff: Grotier 6, Grapes 6, Lewis 8,
Campbell 7, Pontin 7, Dwyer 6,
Bishop 7, ★**KITCHEN** 9, Stevens 7,
Ronson 7, Buchanan 6.
Referee: J. D. Hough (Macclesfield)
Match Rating: ★★

NOTTS COUNTY (2) 2 (Christie 14,
Hunt 37)
QPR (0) 1 (Hill, pen 67)
Att: 7,197
Notts County: Avramovic 7,
Benjamin 7, O'Brien 7, Kelly 6 (sub.
Hooks 6), Kilcline 7, Richards 7,
McCulloch 7, ★**MASSON** 8, Christie
7, Hunt 6, Mair 6.
QPR: Woods 6, McCreery 7, Gillard
6, Waddock 6, Wicks 6, ★**ROEDER**
8, Feraday 5 (sub. Hazell 6), Shanks
6, Langley 6, Neal 6, Hill 7.
Referee: B. Richardson (Lincoln)
Match Rating: ★★★★★
Sending Off: Wicks (QPR)

Match FACTS

ALL THE LATEST MATCH DETAILS

Match FACTS

Book Winners

THE ten lucky winners of the book quiz which appeared in our September 6 issue are as follows:

Pete Walker (12), St. Annes-on-Sea, Lancs; Paul Bullen, Leicester; Michael Stewart, North Harrow, Middlesex; Peter Farmer, Crockham Hill, Kent; Hugh Cardiff (11), Dundrum, Dublin; Iain Page, Tonbridge, Kent; Anthony Williams, Liss, Hants; D. Goodere, Islington, London; G. Samways, Pennington, Hants; Andrew Gardiner (10), Clacton-on-Sea, Essex.

Each wins a Beaver Book of Football. The correct answers were: 1. Goal nets; 2. Billy Wright; 3. Colin Bell; 4. True; 5. Rangers; 6. Everton.

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Referee: T. Farley (Co. Durham)
Match Rating: ★

CHESTER (0) 1 (Cooke 84)

EXETER (0) 0

Att: 1,974

Chester: Millington 6, Raynor 5, Walker 5, Storton 6, Cottam 5, Oakes 7, Sutcliffe 4, Kearney 6, Phillips 6, Jones 5, Ludlam 6 (sub. ★COOKE 8). Exeter: Main 5, Ireland 6, Hatch 5, Prince 5, Giles 7, Roberts 6, Pearson 5, Neville 6, ★KELLOW 8, Delve 7, Pullar 5.

Referee: M. Lowe (Sheffield)

Match Rating: ★★

GILLINGHAM (2) 3 (Hughes 18, Price 35, Henderson 78)

NEWPORT (1) 2 (Lowndes 42, Oakes 85)

Att: 4,712

Gillingham: Hillyard 7, Sharpe 7, ★FORD 8, Overton 7, Weatherly 7, Hughes 6, Bruce 6, Duncan 6, Price 6 (sub. Walker), Henderson 7, Adams 7. Newport: Dowler 6, Walden 7, Relish 6, Bruton 6, Oakes 7, ★TYNAN 8, Vaughan 7, Lowndes 7, Gwyther 7, Aldridge 6 (sub. Elsey 7), Moore 6. Referee: A. Robinson (Waterlooville)

Match Rating: ★★

HUDDERSFIELD (1) 4 (Cowling 40, Kennedy, pen 56, Laverick 75, Stanton 87)

READING (0) 1 (Wanklyn 60)

Att: 7,312

Huddersfield: Rankin 7, Brown 7, Robinson 6, Stanton 7, Sutton 6, Harvey 6, Laverick 7, Kennedy 7, Purdie 6 (sub. Willis 7), Robins 7, ★COWLING 8.

Reading: Death 5, Joslyn 5, Cheetham 6, ★BOWMAN 7, Hicks 5, Hetzke 6, Earles 5, Wanklyn 6, Dixon 5, Sanchez 5, Beavon 6. Referee: H. Taylor (Oadby)

Match Rating: ★★

HULL (0) 0

WALSALL (0) 1 (Buckley 64)

Att: 4,211

Hull: Norman 5, ★NISBET 8, Horswill 7, Booth 6, Roberts, J 6, Haig 7, Roberts, D 5, Swann 6, Edwards 5, Moss 6, Deacy 7. Walsall: ★FREEMAN 8, Macken 6, Mower 6, Serella 6, Baines 5, Hart 5, Penn 6, O'Kelly 6, Rees 5, Buckley 6, Caswell 7.

Referee: D. B. Allison (Lancaster)

Match Rating: ★★

MILLWALL (1) 2 (Lyons 25, Mitchell 70)

CHARLTON (0) 0

Att: 6,893

Millwall: Gleasure 6, Sifton 7, Gregory 6, Tagg 7, Blyth 6, Chatterton 6, Massey 6, Roberts 6, ★MITCHELL 8, Lyons 6, Kinsella 6.

Charlton: Wood 6, Gritt 7, Warman 6, Berry 7, Shaw 6, Tydeman 7, ★POWELL 8, Walsh 7, Hales 7, Smith 7 (sub. Walker), Robinson 7.

Referee: M. P. Scott (Nottingham)

Match Rating: ★★

Sending Off: Shaw (Charlton)

OXFORD (0) 0

CHESTERFIELD (1) 3 (Walwyn 25, 78, Wilson 57)

Att: 3,273

Oxford: Burton 5, Briggs 5, Smithers 5, Jeffrey 5 (sub. Thomas 5), Cooke 6, Shotton 6, Brock 5, ★TAYLOR 7, Foley 5, Jones 5, Lythgoe 6. Chesterfield: Turner 6, Stirk 6, O'Neill 7, ★WILSON 8, Green 6, Hunter 6, Birch 7, Bonnyman 6, Walwyn 7, Ridley 6, Walker 6. Referee: C. A. Maskell (Cambridge)

Match Rating: ★★

PLYMOUTH (1) 4 (Kemp 17, 45, 50, Murphy 81)

CARLISLE (1) 1 (Staniforth 23)

Att: 4,854

Plymouth: Crudgington 6, Harrison 7, Uzzell 6, Randall 6, Foster 7, Phillipson-Masters 5, Hodges 6, Kemp 8, Sims 6 (sub. Graves 5), Bason 7, ★MURPHY 9.

Carlisle: Swinburne 4, Hoolickin 5, Collins 5, MacDonald 6, Houghton 5, Parker 6, MacVitie 6, ★METCALFE 7, Beardsley 5, Hamilton 5, Staniforth 6.

Referee: T. Bune (Surrey)

Match Rating: ★★

Sending Off: Phillipson-Masters (Plymouth)

PORTSMOUTH (0) 0

BRENTFORD (0) 2 (Booker 48, Funnell 77)

Att: 16,971

Portsmouth: Mellor 6, McLaughlin 5, ★VINEY 7, Brisley 5 (sub. Ayrton 5), Aizlewood 6, Garner 6, Gregory 6, Laidlaw 5, Showers 5, Bryant 5, Rogers 5.

Brentford: McCullough 6, Shrubbs 6, Hill 6, Salman 5, Kruse 6, Hurlock 7, Funnell 7, Silkman 6, Booker 7, Walker 7, ★CROWN 9.

Referee: B. Stevens (Stonehouse)

Match Rating: ★★

ROTHERHAM (0) 2 (Finney 74, Moore 89)

BARNSELY (0) 0

Att: 12,500

Rotherham: Brown 7, Forrest 6, Brechin 6, Tiler 5, Staincliffe 6, Mullen 7, Towner 7, Gooding 6, ★MOORE 8, Seasman 7, Finney 7. Barnsley: New 6, Cooper 6, Chambers 7, ★GLAVIN 8, Banks 7, Hunter 6, Evans 6, Parker 6, Riley 7, Lester 6, Downes 6.

Referee: D. Owen (Wirral)

Match Rating: ★★

SHEFFIELD UNITED (1) 3

(Kenworthy, pen 41, Peters 78, Trusson 82)

SWINDON (0) 0

Att: 12,089

Sheff Utd: Richardson 7, Cutbush 6, Houston 6, Kenworthy 7, MacPhail 7, Matthews 7, ★TIBBOTT 8, Trusson 6, Butlin 6, Hatton 7, Peters 7 (sub. Garner).

Swindon: Allan 7, Lewis 7, Peach 5, ★KAMARA 8, Rollings 6, Carter 6, Miller 5, Hamilton 5, Rowland 6 (sub. Henry 5), Mayes 7, Greenwood 5.

Referee: R. Toseland (Market Harborough)

Match Rating: ★★

Division Four

BRADFORD CITY (1) 1 (Hutchins 39)

BOURNEMOUTH (1) 1 (Heffernan 31)

Att: 3,389

Bradford: Smith 6, Podd 7, Wood 6, Robertson 7, Jackson 6, Cooper 7, Chapman 6, Staniforth 7, Campbell 6, McNiven 6, ★HUTCHINS 8.

Bournemouth: Allen 6, Cunningham 7, Ferns 6, Impey 7, Townsend 6, ★HEFFERNAN 8, Spackman 7, McGrath 6, Morgan 7, Massey 6, Evanson 6.

Referee: M. Robinson (Sutton Coldfield)

Match Rating: ★★

DONCASTER (3) 5 (Warboys 6, pen 44, Little 35, Nimmo 52, 89)

HEREFORD (0) 1 (White 47)

Att: 2,186

Doncaster: Boyd 6, Russell 7, Dowie 8, Lister 7, Harle 8, Dowd 6, Pugh 7, Nimmo 8, ★WARBOYS 9, Snodin 7, Little 8.

Hereford: Brand 6, Thomas 7, Musial 6, Hicks 5, Dobson 5, Lowe 6, ★WHITE 8, Bartley 6, Phillips 5, Jones 5 (sub. Lane 6), Spiring 7.

Referee: A. Dobson (Blackburn)

Match Rating: ★★

HARTLEPOOL (1) 2 (Hogan 2, Forster 69)

NORTHAMPTON (1) 3 (Bowen 40, Farmer 60, Phillips 67)

Att: 2,410

Hartlepool: Richardson 7, Fagan 5, Brown 6, ★HOGAN 8, Bird 6, Ayre 6, Linacre 6, Kerr 6, Lawrence 7, Forster 6, Harding 6 (sub. Houchen).

Northampton: Poole 5, Denyer 7, Saunders 6, Byatt 7, Gage 7, Heeley 6, Sandy 7, Williams 5, ★PHILLIPS 8, Bowen 6, Farmer 7.

Referee: T. Mills (Barnsley)

Match Rating: ★★

LINCOLN (0) 3 (Hobson 63, 70, Thompson, S 74)

HALIFAX (0) 0

Att: 3,720

Lincoln: Felgate 7, Thompson, T 6, Keeley 6, Thompson, S 7, Peake 7, Carr 6, Turner 6, Harford 6, ★HOBSON 8, Hughes 7, Shipley 7.

Halifax: ★KILNER 8, Nattress 6, Dunleavy 7, Evans 6, Goodman 7, Harris 7, Firth 7, Hendrie 6, Allatt 5, Burton 6, O'Neill 6.

Referee: J. Deakin (Bedford)

Match Rating: ★★

MANSFIELD (0) 1 (Hamilton, N 89)

DARLINGTON (0) 0

Att: 3,001

Mansfield: Arnold 6, Dawkins 5, Mann 6, ★HAMILTON, N 8, McClelland 7, Burrows 6, Phillips 5, Caldwell 5 (sub. Allen), Austin 6, Parkinson 6, Pollard 7.

Darlington: Barry 6, Kamara 5, McLean 5, Ball 7, ★SKIPPER 8, Speedie 6, Hawker 5 (sub. Smith 5), Charlton 6, Stalker 6, Hamilton, I 5, Walsh 7.

Referee: J. Lovatt (Crewe)

Match Rating: ★★

ROCHDALE (1) 2 (Martinez 5, Wann 50)

TORQUAY (1) 1 (Taylor, og 30)

Att: 1,777

Rochdale: Pearce 7, Jones 7, Snookes 7, Esser 7, Burke 7, Taylor 7, ★WANN 8, O'Laughlin 7, Hilditch 6, Wellings 7, Martinez 7.

Torquay: O'Keefe 7, Pethard 6, Cochrane 6, Jones 7, ★BOURNE 8.

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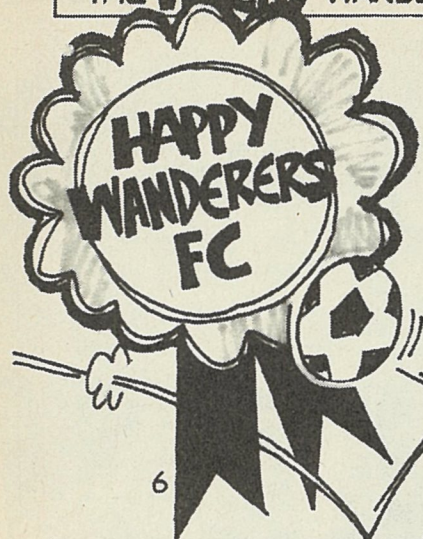
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MILLIONS of television viewers watched stunned as Ipswich hit high-flying Manchester United with a six goal blitz.

And they marvelled at the skills of England striker Paul Mariner who bagged three of the goals in that, now famous, 6-0 drubbing at Portman Road last season.

Yet Paul rates his hat-trick that day a poor third in his record of three-goal displays.

"I have scored three hat-tricks for Ipswich and my first will always stand out in my memory. It happened during the most incredible week of my career.

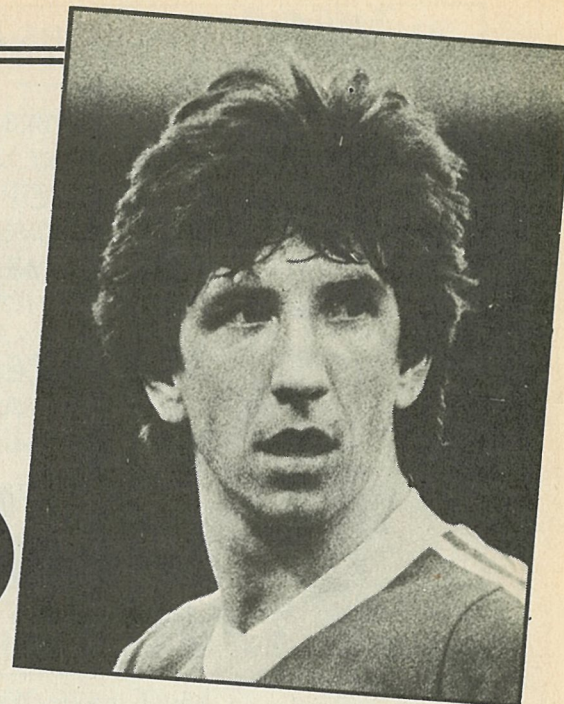
"I had just been called up for England and was still on cloud nine on the night of our First Division clash with West Ham United.

"I was feeling great before the match — and exceeded my wildest dreams during the game."

Paul remembers one goal in particular on that emotion-packed night. "I bent a long range shot past their keeper Mervyn Day."

Ipswich finished convincing 4-1 winners over the Hammers. The other goal was an own goal.

"Another hat-trick that had a special meaning for me was during our FA Cup year



when I got three during our 6-1 quarter final win over Millwall.

"Scoring a hat-trick means everything to a striker. One goal is good, two tremendous — but three in a game is really special," added Paul.

Above: Ipswich and England striker Paul Mariner saved one of his best performances to celebrate news of his international call-up. He hammered three past West Ham United at Portman Road.

The goals Shilton won't talk about

Ian Wallace (right), pictured here in a clash with Tottenham's Terry Yorath as Raimondo Ponte looks on.

IAN WALLACE

Forest

THERE was one topic of conversation definitely barred by Peter Shilton when Ian Wallace joined forces with him at Nottingham Forest — the day Wallace struck three goals past him.

"We haven't mentioned it at all," Ian told Match. "I think Peter wants to keep quiet about it!"

That hat-trick came in April, 1977, when Ian was starring for Coventry and Peter was keeping goal for Stoke.

His only other Football League hat-trick came two years later against Southampton — but he rates the Stoke one the best.

"After all it's not many times you score three past a 'keeper of Peter's calibre," Ian chuckled.

"Before I came to Forest I rated Peter on a par with Ray Clemence. But after playing with him in training and in matches there's no doubt in my mind that he's the best."

Ian's performance against Southampton was brought to a thrilling climax with the third, the result of a run from the half-way line.



Cup tie treble took us to Wembley

SOUTHAMPTON'S FA Cup fifth round replay with West Brom at The Dell was just 30 seconds old when Mick Channon struck for the first time.

Mick collected the ball on the left hand side of the penalty area, stole half a yard on his marker and a split second later the ball was nestling in the far corner of the net.

**MICK
CHANNON**
Southampton

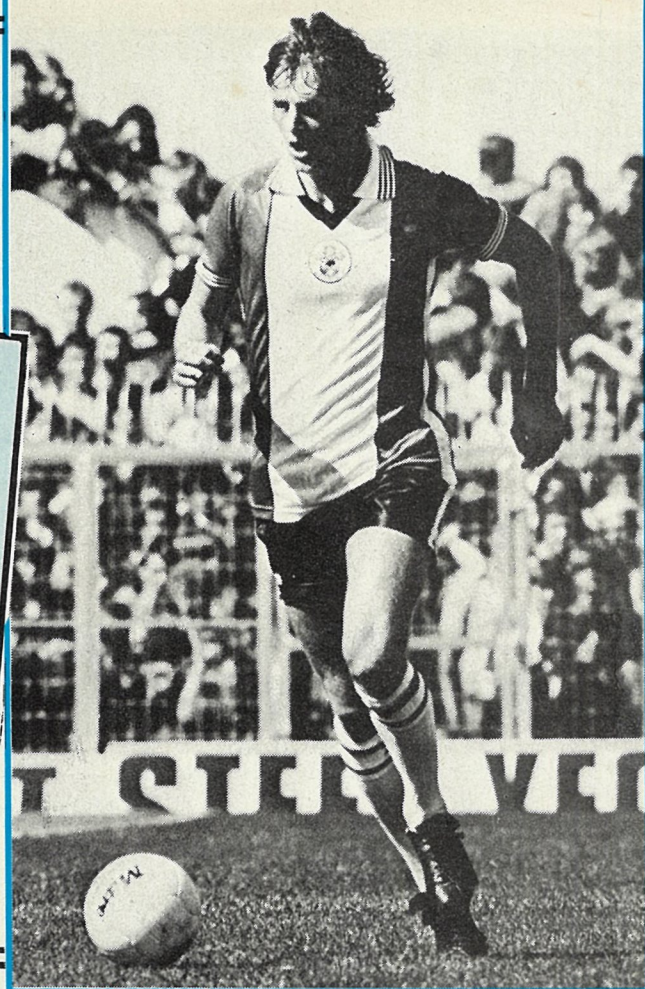
It was a goal which put Mick on the road to the "most important" hat-trick of his distinguished career. "The second came from a through pass from David Peach," recalled Mick.

"I sidestepped Roger Osborne in the West Brom goal and knocked it in. "Number three came from the penalty spot after Ally Robertson brought me down.

"Paul Gilchrist grabbed another for us and we finally won 4-0. "It was the most important hat-trick because we went on to win the Cup that year against Manchester United (season 1975-76).

"I suppose I must have scored five or six hat-tricks in my career but I've had plenty of two's with opportunities to score three."

Right: Saints' Mick Channon — the match was only 30 seconds old when he struck.



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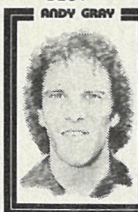
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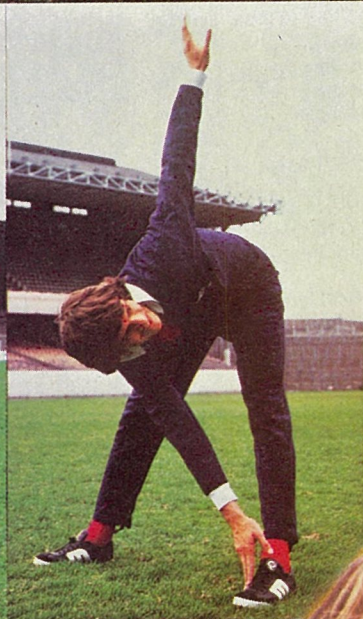
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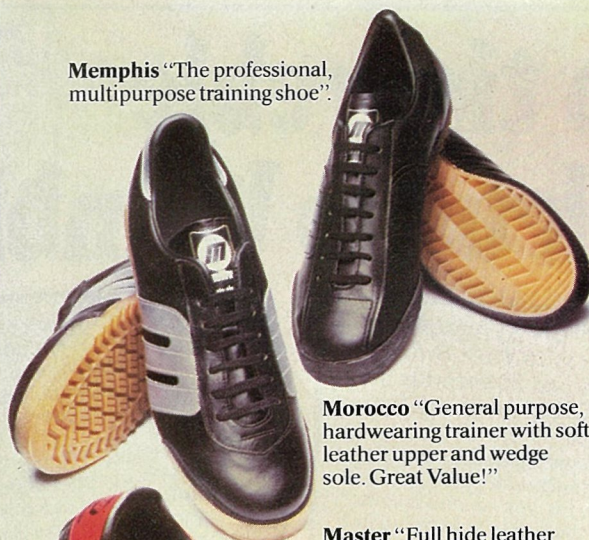
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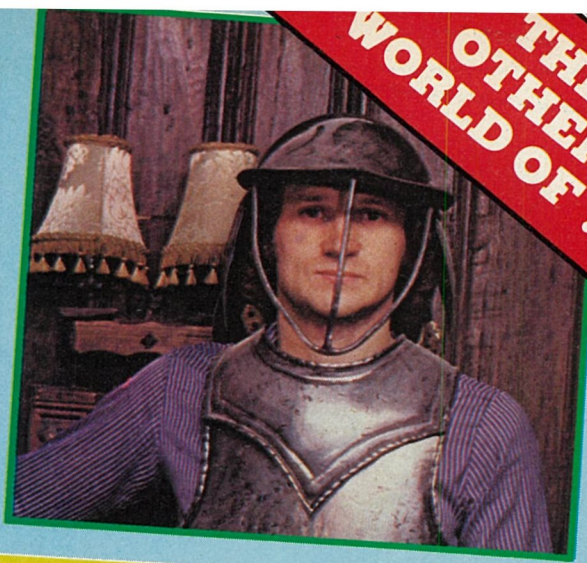
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DID YOU identify the man in the iron mask we pictured in last week's issue? If not it was none other than Stoke City's no-nonsense defender Alan Dodd, a keen collector of antiques like this centuries old helmet and breastplate (right).

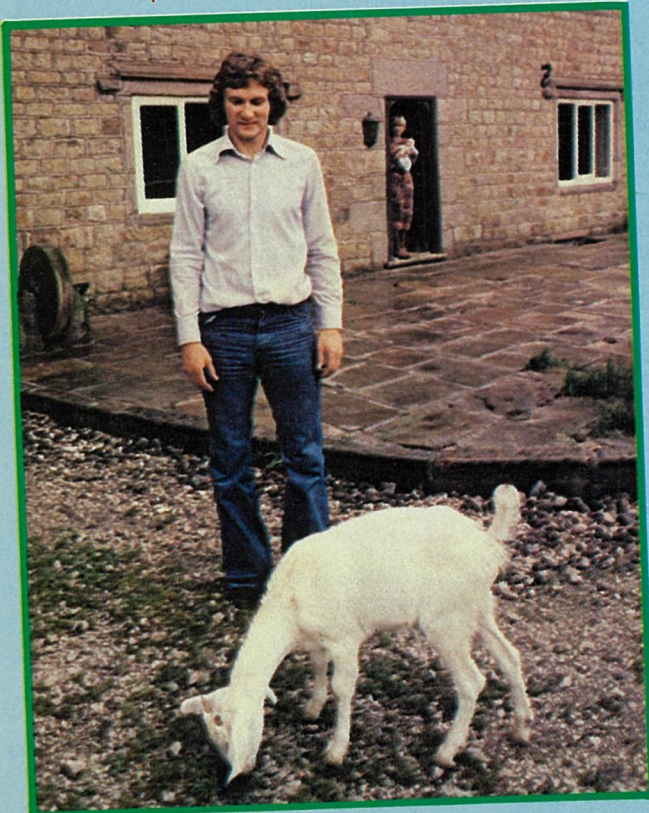
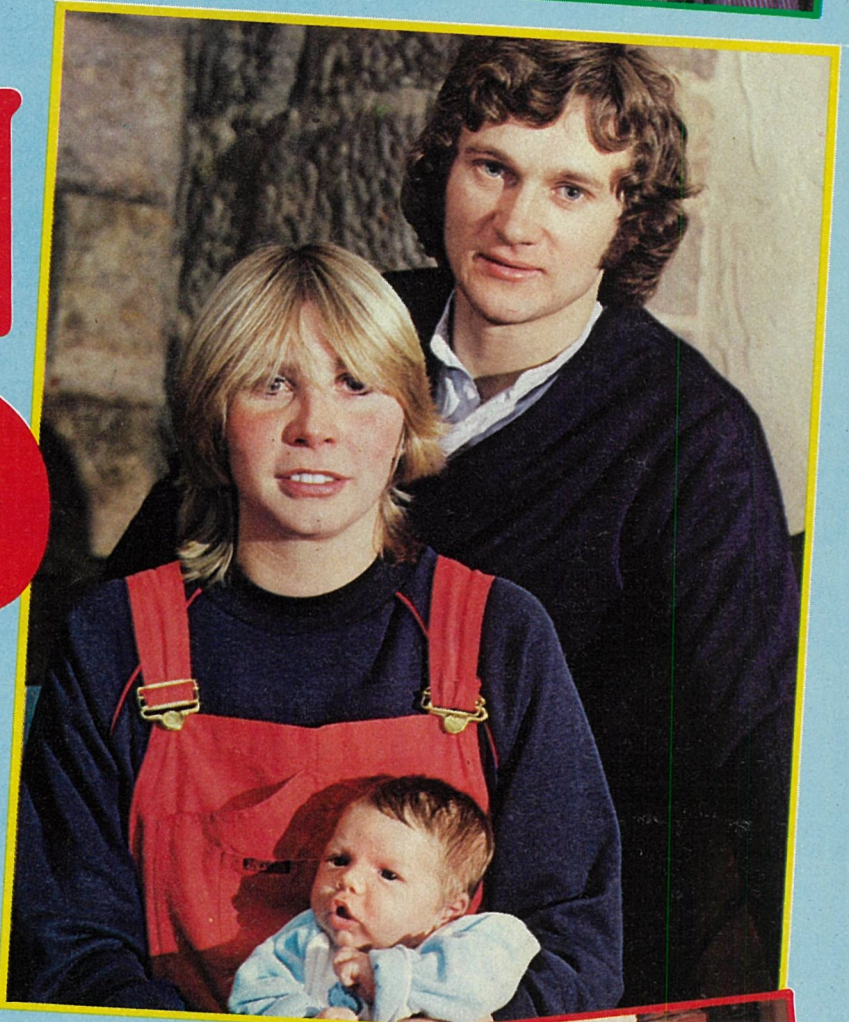
Alan invited the Match cameras to visit his home in the Staffordshire countryside, where he lives with his wife Elaine and baby son Alan junior (below right).

On our arrival he was repairing the fence at his home but was quick to point out that he hopes not to have to spend too much time repairing de-fence at Stoke!



ALAN DODD

Below: Alan with the family goat Looby-Loo.
Below right: One man and his dogs . . . Alan with setters Red and Randy.



RAY CLEMENCE

Tackle a Star

WHAT do you enjoy doing when you're not playing football? What's the best goal you've scored? How did you become a professional player? These are just some of the many questions Match readers have asked their favourite stars.

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JEFFREY THOMPSON, Dumfries, Scotland:

Do you have a system for saving penalty kicks?

RAY: Not really Jeffrey. If a 'keeper is seen to take a penalty I'm usually told which side of the 'keeper he puts it and occasionally the way a player runs at the ball gives you some idea.

You have to make up your mind which way you are going to go, always remembering that there's more pressure on the taker than the 'keeper.

ROGER SUTCLIFFE: Barnsley, Yorks:

How do you keep your concentration during a game when the ball is at the other end?

RAY: By positioning myself around the 18-yard line and trying to keep myself involved in the game Roger.

I try and adjust my position in line with the position of the ball, even though it's in the opposition half.

I don't need to tell you how quickly the ball can move from one end of the field to the other.

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WILLIAM HENNESSY, Maghull, Liverpool:

What do you remember of your debut at Anfield?

RAY: I had a nightmare William! It was against Swansea in the third round of the League Cup during season 1968-69.

We won 2-0 but it was lashing down with rain and there was a gale force wind.

I don't think I made any mistakes but obviously it was a nervous time.

SIMON CASTLE, Fulham, London:

Who was your boyhood hero and which player do you admire most now?

RAY: Gordon Banks was always my hero as a kid. I think he was the best 'keeper there has ever been and it will be very difficult for anyone to equal

him.

Now I have a lot of admiration for Arsenal 'keeper Pat Jennings. He just keeps going and getting better.

Pat's hands are like shovels! He catches shots that most of us are happy to just block.

RANZI ZAHED, Beirut, Lebanon:

Which match do you consider you played best in and what is the best save you have made?

RAY: One of the performances I was most pleased with Rani came in an FA Cup sixth round replay against Spurs at White Hart Lane in 1971.

I don't usually get overworked playing for Liverpool but I was kept quite busy in that

match. I managed to keep a clean sheet and we won 1-0.

One of my best saves came when I was playing for England against Scotland a couple of seasons ago.

Someone hit a shot from about 20 yards and it was deflected off Dave Watson's head.

I managed to change direction and turn the ball round the post for a corner.

We won the game 3-1 but that save was made more important by the fact that Scotland were 1-0 up at the time.

Match FACTS

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Hayes 7, Fell 6, Lawrence 6, Cooper 6, Bowker 5, Weston 5 (sub. Twitchin 6).
Referee: K. Baker (Rugby)
Match Rating: ★★★★★

SCUNTHORPE (0) 1 (Partridge 58)
CREWE (1) 1 (Davies 9)
Att: 1,516
Scunthorpe: Gordon 6, Pugh 7, Pilling 6, Grimes 6, Dall 6, ★OATES 8, Cowling 6 (sub. O'Berg 6), Cammack 6, Partridge 6, Lambert 7, Stewart 6.
Crewe: Mulhearn 6, McMahon 7, Lewis 6, Hunter 6, Scott 7, Prohett 7, Davies 6, ★GUY 8, Conroy 6, Palios 6, Bowers 6.
Referee: G. J. Napthine (Loughborough)
Match Rating: ★★

WIGAN (1) 1 (Gore 20)
PORT VALE (0) 0
Att: 4,678
Wigan: Brown 7, Fretwell 6, Whittle 6, Gore 7, Methven 6, Davids 6, McMullen 6, Wright 6, Houghton 6 (sub. ★GLENN 8), Hutchinson 7, Corrigan 7.
Port Vale: Harrison 6, Keenan 6, Griffiths 6, Beech 7, Bowles 6, Sproson 6, ★JONES 8, Farrell 7, Brissett 5 (sub. Elsbey 6), Chamberlain 5, Bromage 6.
Referee: A. Saunders (Newcastle)
Match Rating: ★★

WIMBLEDON (0) 1 (Leslie 54)
STOCKPORT (0) 2 (Rutter 76, Bradd 88)
Att: 2,018
Wimbledon: Goddard 6, Brown 7, Perkins 7, Galliers 7, Smith 7, Cunningham 7, Davies 6 (sub. Denny 7), Downes 6, Leslie 7, Cork 7, ★DRIVER 8.
Stockport: Lawson 7, Rutter 7, ★SHERLOCK 8, Fowler 7, Sword 7, Uzelac 7, Williams 7, Sunley 6, Bradd 6, Galvin 6, Coyle 7.
Referee: H. W. King (Merthyr Tydfil)
Match Rating: ★★

SCOTTISH Premier Division

ABERDEEN (2) 6 (Miller 15, Orr, og 40, Scanlon 58, Hewitt 84, Strachan, pen 85, McMaster 86)
MORTON (0) 0
Att: 12,000
Aberdeen: Leighton 6, Kennedy 6, Watson 7, McLeish 6, Rougvie 7, Miller 7, Strachan 7, Jarvie 6 (sub. ★HEWITT 8), McGhee 7, McMaster 7, Scanlon 7.
Morton: Baines 6, Wilkie 6, Anderson 6, Orr 6, McLaren 6, McNeil 5, Rooney 6, ★THOMSON 7, Cochrane 6, Ritchie 5 (sub. Tolmie 6).
Referee: D. Syme (Glasgow)
Match Rating: ★★★★★

CELTIC (2) 4 (McGarvey 23, MacLeod, pen 25, Nicholas 69, 80)
PARTICK (1) 1 (Gibson 33)
Att: 20,000
Celtic: Bonnar 6, Sneddon 7, McGrain 7, Aitken 6, McAdam 7, ★BURNS 8, Sullivan 7, MacLeod 7, Provan 7, McGarvey 6 (sub. McCluskey 7), Nicholas 7.
Partick: Rough 6, Doyle 6, Whittaker 6, ★GIBSON 8, Campbell 5, Welsh 7, Scott 6, Jardine 7, Watson 6, Higgs 7, O'Hara 7.
Referee: J. Stewart (Glasgow)
Match Rating: ★★

DUNDEE UNITED (0) 2 (Dodds 69, Payne 76)

RANGERS (4) 4 (Cooper 5, McAdam 24, MacDonald 29, Hegarty, og 44)
Att: 14,000
Dundee Utd: McAlpine 6, Stark 7, Coppell 6, Kirkwood 6, Hegarty 7, Narey 7, Addison 6, Bannan 6 (sub. Milne 7), ★STURROCK 8, Dodds 7, Payne 7.
Rangers: McCloy 7, Jardine 7, Miller 6, Forsyth 6, Jackson 7, Bett 7, McLean 7, McAdam 7, Redford 7, MacDonald 7, ★COOPER 8.
Referee: D. Ramsay (Edinburgh)
Match Rating: ★★★★★

KILMARNOCK (0) 0
HEARTS (0) 1 (Gibson 87)
Att: 4,000
Kilmarnock: ★McCULLOCH 8, McLean 7, Robertson 7, Mauchlen 6, Clarke 6 (sub. Cockburn 6), McDicken 7, Street 6, Maxwell 7, McBride 6, Crammond 7, Gibson 7.
Hearts: Brough 7, Robinson 6, Jeffries 7, Boyd 7, Liddell 6, Kidd 7, Bowman 6, Gibson 7, O'Connor 7, Robertson 6, ★McDONALD 8.
Referee: R. Valentine (Dundee)
Match Rating: ★★

ST MIRREN (0) 2 (Somner 35, 81)
AIRDRIE (1) 2 (Clark, pen 12, Gordon 84)
Att: 5,220
St Mirren: Thomson 7, Young 7, ★BECKETT 8, Dunlop 6, Copland 7, Richardson 7, Stark 7, Abercrombie 7, Somner 7, Bone 7, Logan 6.
Airdrie: Martin 7, Erwin 7, Rodger 6, Anderson 6, March 7, McKeown 6, Walker 6, ★GORDON 8, Clark 7, Russell 6, McGuire 7.
Referee: R. Cughill (Winchburgh)
Match Rating: ★★

First Division

BERWICK (1) 1 (Tait 20)
AYR (1) 2 (Morris 3, Christie 84)
Att: 918
Clydebank (2) 3 (Sweeney 24, 85, Houston 27)
DUNDEE (0) 0
Att: 1,240

EAST STIRLINGSHIRE (0) 0
DUNFERMLINE (3) 4 (Salton 10, McNaughton 24, 31, pen 86)
Att: 1,390

HAMILTON (0) 1 (Fairlie 79)
DUMBARTON (0) 1 (Rankin 50)
Att: 1,800

HIBERNIAN (0) 1 (Jamieson 68)
MOTHERWELL (0) 0
Att: 4,390

Second Division

ALLOA (1) 2 (McIntosh 4, McOmb 77)
CLYDE (0) 0
Att: 790

COWDENBEATH (1) 2 (Steele 21, Liddle 81)
BRECHIN (1) 1 (Patterson 44)
Att: 350

MONTROSE (0) 0
ALBION (0) 1 (Ross 85)
Att: 350

QUEEN'S PARK (2) 5 (Nicholson 27, 64, McCoy 42, 48, 57)
QUEEN OF THE SOUTH (1) 1 (Alexander 43)
Att: 640

STENHOUSEMUIR (1) 2 (Jack 6, Kirkland 58)
EAST FIFE (0) 0
Att: 400

STRANRAER (0) 0
FORFAR (3) 4 (Clark 6, 30, Gillies 10, Gallacher 89)
Att: 450

Tuesday, Sept. 9

EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIP — Under 21

SWEDEN (1) 2 (Sandberg 45, Nilsson 62)
SCOTLAND (0) 0
Att: 2,140 (In Begerfors)

ANGLO SCOTTISH CUP Quarter-final, First Leg

AIRDRIE (1) 2 (Gordon 12, Thomson 78)
BURY (1) 4 (Mullen 30, Madden 61, Johnston, pen 68, 88)
Att: 2,500

BLACKPOOL (0) 2 (MacDougall 48, Harrison 75)
KILMARNOCK (0) 1 (Crammond 81)
Att: 4,904

SCOTTISH First Division

BERWICK (0) 1 (Davidson 90)
ST JOHNSTONE (1) 1 (McCoist 45)
Att: 1,065

CLYDEBANK (2) 2 (Gervaise 31, Given 43)
MOTHERWELL (2) 2 (Clinging 36, Carson 44)
Att: 1,500

DUNDEE (1) 1 (Scrimgeour 30)
HIBERNIAN (1) 2 (MacLeod 29, Rae 78)
Att: 5,304

DUNFERMLINE (0) 1 (O'Brien 49)
DUMBARTON (0) 1 (Brown 64)
Att: 2,480

HAMILTON (1) 2 (Fairlie 22, 77)
STIRLING (0) 0
Att: 2,100

RAITH ROVERS (1) 2 (Harrow 20, Candlish 68)
FALKIRK (0) 1 (Mackie 65)
Att: 1,600

Second Division

ALLOA (0) 1 (Holt, pen 75)
FORFAR (0) 0
Att: 500

MEADOWBANK (0) 2 (McQuade 56, 79)
BRECHIN (0) 0
Att: 390

MONTROSE (0) 1 (Robb 79)
EAST FIFE (0) 0
Att: 400

QUEEN'S PARK (0) 1 (McCoy 69)
COWDENBEATH (0) 1 (Rowland, pen 54)
Att: 450

STENHOUSEMUIR (1) 1 (Meekin 33)
ARBROATH (2) 2 (Myles 31, Gillespie 34)
Att: 690

STRANRAER (0) 1 (Mitchell 82)
CLYDE (0) 0
Att: 400

Under-21 — Friendlies

ENGLAND (3) 3 (Eggen, og 16, Goddard 31, 37)
NORWAY (0) 0
Att: 8,500

HOLLAND (0) 0
WALES (1) 2 (Lowndes 6, Rush 64)

Wednesday, Sept. 10

WORLD CUP

Qualifying Group 4

ENGLAND (1) 4 (McDermott 35, pen 76, Woodcock 68, Mariner 87)
NORWAY (0) 0
Att: 48,200
England: Shilton 7, Anderson 7, Thompson 8, Watson 7, Sansom 7, McDermott 7, Robson 8, Rix 7, Gates 7, ★MARINER 9, Woodcock 7.
Norway: Jacobsen 6, Berntsen 6, Kordahl 6, ★ASS 7, Groendalen 6, Albertsen 5, Hareide 6, Dokken 6, Oakland 5, Jacobsen, P 6, Erlandsen 6.
Referee: M. Van Langenhove (Belgium)
Match Rating: ★★

Group Four

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| Rumania | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Switzerland | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Qualifying Group 6

SWEDEN (0) 0
SCOTLAND (0) 1 (Strachan 72)
Att: 39,831
Sweden: Hellstrom 7, Gustafsson 6, Borg 7, Bild 6, ★ARVIDSSON 8, Erlandsson 6, Ramsberg 6, Nordgren 6, Nilsson, T 7, Sjoberg 7, Ohlsson 6.
Scotland: Rough 7, McGrain 7, Gray, F 7, Miller 7, McLeish 8, ★HANSEN 9, Strachan 8, Dalglish 5 (sub. Archibald 7), Gray, A 7, Gemmill 7, Robertson 6.
Referee: F. Wohrer (Austria)
Match Rating: ★★

Group Six

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| Scotland | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
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| N. Ireland | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Sweden | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| Portugal | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Qualifying Group 2

EIRE (0) 2 (Daly 80, Lawrenson 84)
HOLLAND (0) 1 (Tahamata 78)
Att: 32,000
Eire: Peyton 6, Langan 8, Hughton 7, O'Leary, P 6, O'Leary, D 8, Grealish 8, Lawrenson 6, Daly 7, Stapleton 7, Givens 6, ★BRADY 9.
Holland: Hiele 7, Wijnstekers 6, Spelbos 6, Van der Korput 7 (sub. Metgod 6), Brandts 7, Van Mierlo 6, Thijssen 7, Schoenmaker 6 (sub. Van der Kerkoff, W 5), ★PETERS 8, Van Deinsen 7, Tahamata 7.
Referee: H. Lund-Sorensen (Denmark)
Match Rating: ★★★★★

Group 2

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| Cyprus | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Holland | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Belgium | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| France | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

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Saturday, Sept. 13

Division One

ARSENAL (0) 2 (Hollins 56, Sansom 76)

STOKE (0) 0

Att: 27,183

Arsenal: Jennings 7, Devine 7, ★SANSOM 9, Talbot 7, O'Leary 7, Young 7, Hollins 7, Sunderland 6, Stapleton 6, Price 7, Rix 8.

Stoke: ★FOX 8, Evans 6, Hampton 6, Dodd 6, Thorley 6, Doyle 7, Maguire 5, Heath 6, Chapman 5, O'Callaghan 7, Bracewell 6.

Referee: A. Robinson (Portsmouth)
Match Rating: ★★

ASTON VILLA (0) 0

EVERTON (2) 2 (Lyons 32, Eastoe 36)

Att: 25,673

Aston Villa: Rimmer 6, Swain 6, Gibson 5, ★EVANS 7, McNaught 6, Mortimer 5, Bremner 5, Shaw 5, Withe 5, Cowans 6, Morley 6.
Everton: ★McDONAGH 8, Gidman 7, Bailey 6, Wright 7, Lyons 7, Stanley 7, McMahon 7, Eastoe 6, Latchford 6, Hartford 7, McBride 6.

Referee: B. Daniels (Brentwood)

Match Rating: ★★

BRIGHTON (1) 2 (McNab 19, Lawrenson 47)

BIRMINGHAM (1) 2 (Curbishley 10, Bertschin 70)

Att: 17,788

Brighton: Moseley 4, Gregory 7, Williams 6, Horton 7, Foster 7, Lawrenson 7, McHale 5 (sub. Stille 6), Ward 6, Robinson 7, Smith 7, ★McNAB 8.

Birmingham: ★WEALANDS 8, Langan 6, Page 6, Curbishley 7, Gallagher 6, Todd 6, Ainscow 6, Bertschin 7, Worthington 5 (sub. Givens 7), Gemmill 7, Dillion 6.
Referee: D. Reeves (Uxbridge)
Match Rating: ★★

CRYSTAL PALACE (0) 1 (Lovell 90)

IPSWICH (1) 2 (Wark 27, Gates 86)

Att: 24,282

Crystal Palace: Barron 5, Hinshelwood 6, Fenwick 6, Lovell 7, ★CANNON 8, Gilbert 6, Smillie 7, Francis 7, Allen 7, Flanagan 7, Hilaire 6 (sub. Sealy 5).

Ipswich: Cooper 7, Burley 6, Mills 6, Thijssen 5, Osman 6, Beattie 7, ★WARK 9, Muhren 6, Mariner 7, Brazil 8, Gates 7.

Referee: M. Baker (Wolverhampton)
Match Rating: ★★

LEEDS (0) 0

TOTTENHAM (0) 0

Att: 21,947

Leeds: Lukic 7, Heard 7, Stevenson 7, ★CHERRY 8, Hart 7, Firm 6, Chandler 6, Parlane 6, Connor 6 (sub. Hamson), Sabella 6, Graham 7.

Spurs: Daines 7, Smith 6, Hughton 6, ★TAYLOR 8, Lacy 7, Perryman 7, Ardiles 6, Archibald 6, Crooks 7, Hoddle 7, Villa 7.

Referee: D. T. Richardson (Lincoln)
Match Rating: ★★

LIVERPOOL (2) 4 (McDermott, pen 27, Souness 44, Fairclough 61, 71)

WBA (0) 0

Att: 36,792

Liverpool: Clemence 8, Neal 8, Cohen 8, Thompson 9, Kennedy 8, R. Hansen 8 (sub. Money 8), ★DALGLISH 10, Lee 8, Fairclough 9, McDermott 9, Souness 9.

WBA: Godden 7, ★BATSON 8, Statham 6, Moses 6, Wile 7, Robertson 7, Robson 7, Brown, A 6, Regis 6, Owen 7, (sub. Trewick 7), Barnes 6.

Referee: T. Mills (Barnsley)
Match Rating: ★★

MATCH WEEKLY

MANCHESTER UNITED (2) 5

(Coppell 3, Grimes 44, Jovanovic 49, 67, Macari 59)

LEICESTER (0) 0

Att: 43,222

Man Utd: Bailey 7, Nichol 7, Albiston 7, ★McILROY 8, Jovanovic 7, Buchan 7, Grimes 7, Greenhoff 7, Coppell 7, Macari 7 (sub. McGarvey 6), Thomas 6.

Leicester: Wallington 6, Williams 6, Gibson 6, Goodwin 6, May 7, O'Neill 6, Grewcock 6 (sub. Melrose 5), ★HENDERSON 8, Young 5, Wilson 5, Smith 5.

Referee: C. N. Seel (Cumbria)
Match Rating: ★★

NORWICH (1) 1 (Fashanu 12)

SOUTHAMPTON (0) 0

Att: 18,158

Norwich: Hansbury 7, Bond 7, Nightingale 7, Barham 7 (sub. Mendham), Hoadley 7, Powell 7, Woods 7, Fashanu 7, Muzinic 8, Paddon 7, ★GOBLE 9.

Southampton: Wells 7, Golac 6, McCartney 6 (sub. Hebbard), Williams 7, Watson 6, Nicholl 7, Boyer 6, ★CHANNON 8, George 6, Holmes 7, Baker 6.

Referee: D. S. Vickers (Ilford)

Match Rating: ★★

NOTTINGHAM FOREST (1) 3

(Birtles 16, Bowyer 46, Wallace 49)

MANCHESTER CITY (2) 2 (Bennett 25, Henry 34)

Att: 23,184

Nottn Forest: Shilton 6, Anderson 7, Gray 7, McGovern 6, Needham 6, Burns 7, O'Neill 7, Bowyer 7, ★BIRTLES 8, Wallace 7, Robertson 6.

Man City: MacRae 7, Reid 7, Power 7, Booth 6, Caton 6, Henry 7, Tueart 7, ★DALEY 8, MacKenzie 7, Bennett 7, Reeves 7.

Referee: D. Hutchinson (Harrogate)
Match Rating: ★★

SUNDERLAND (0) 0

MIDDLESBROUGH (1) 1 (Jankovic 25)

Att: 32,745

Sunderland: Turner 7, Hinnigan 7, Bolton 6, Allardyce 7, Elliott 6, Marangoni 5, ★CHISHOLM 8, Arnott 6, Hawley 5 (sub. Rowell 5), Brown 5, Cummins 6.

Middlesbrough: Platt 7, Craggs 7, Bailey 7, ★JOHNSTON 8, Angus 7, McAndrew 7, Cochrane 6, Proctor 6, Hodgson 6, Jankovic 7, Askew 6.

Referee: N. J. Ashley (Nantwich)
Match Rating: ★★

WOLVES (0) 0

COVENTRY (1) 1 (Bodak 3)

Att: 18,115

Wolves: Bradshaw 5, Palmer 7, Parkin 6, Daniel 5 (sub. Villazan 5), Hughes 5, Berry 7, ★CLARKE 8, Carr 6, Gray 7, Richards 5, Eves 6.

Coventry: Blyth 6, Coop 6, Roberts 7, Blair 7, Dyson 7, Jacobs 6, Bodak 7, ★DALY 8, Hateley 7, English 6, Hunt 6.

Referee: N. Glover (Chorley)
Match Rating: ★★

Division Two

BLACKBURN (0) 3 (Garner 60, 62, Stonehouse 89)

LUTON (0) 0

Att: 9,076

Blackburn: Arnold 8, Branagan 8, DeVries 7, Kendall 8, Keeley 8, Fazackerley 8, ★BROTHERSTON 9, Stonehouse 8, Garner 8, McKenzie 8, Speight 7.

Luton: Findlay 7, ★STEPHENS 9, Donaghy 7, Grealish 8, Saxby 8, Price 7, Hill 7, Stein 7, Ingram 7, West 8, Moss 7.

Referee: G. E. Flint (Kirkby, Ashfield)
Match Rating: ★★

BRISTOL ROVERS (0) 0

OLDHAM (0) 0

Att: 3,808

Bristol Rovers: Thomas 6, Gillies 6, Bater 7, McCaffery 6, Mabbutt 7, Hughes 6, Pulis 6, ★WILLIAMS 8, Bates 5 (sub. Jones), Penny 7, Lee 5.
Oldham: McDonnell 6, Hoolickin 5, Blair 6, Kowenicki 6, ★CLEMENTS 8, Hurst 7, Wyld 6, Fletcher 7, Stainrod 5, Keegan 5, Atkinson 6.

Referee: T. G. Bune (Cranleigh)
Match Rating: ★★

CAMBRIDGE (0) 0

CHELSEA (0) 1 (Lee 84)

Att: 9,474

Cambridge: Webster 7, Evans 6, Murray 6, Smith 6, Fallon 7, ★GIBBINS 8, O'Neill 6, Spriggs 7, Reilly 6, Finney 7, Christie 7.

Chelsea: ★BOROTA 8, Wilkins 7, Rofe 6, Bumstead 6, Droy 7, Nutton 6, Britton 6, Fillery 6, Lee 7, Walker 6, Chivers 6.

Referee: K. S. Hackett (Sheffield)
Match Rating: ★★

CARDIFF (1) 1 (Stevens 44)

BOLTON (1) 1 (Walsh 19)

Att: 6,649

Cardiff: Grotier 5, Grapes 5, Lewis 5, Campbell 4, Pontin 6, Dwyer 7, Bishop 5, ★KITCHEN 8, Stevens 7, Ronson 6, Buchanan 5.

Bolton: Peacock 7, Clement 5, Burke 6, Cantello 6, Jones, P 6 (sub. Wilson 7), Walsh 7, Nowak 6, Whatmore 6, Gowling 7, ★KIDD 8, Hoggan 5.

Referee: M. Bidmead (Surrey)
Match Rating: ★★

GRIMSBY (0) 0

DERBY (1) 1 (Swindlehurst 12)

Att: 15,052

Grimsby: Batch 6, Stone 7, Moore, K 6, Waters 7, Wigginton 7, Crombie 6, Brolly 6, ★KILMORE 8 (sub. Liddell 6), Drinkell 6, Mitchell 5, Cumming 6.

Derby: Jones 7, Emery 7, Buckley 7, ★POWELL, S 8, Osgood 7, Ramage 6, Skivington 7, Powell, B 6, Biley 7, Swindlehurst 6, Emson 6.

Referee: A. Porter (Bolton)
Match Rating: ★★

QPR (0) 1 (Hazell 55)

NEWCASTLE (1) 2 (Boam 25, Hibbitt 73)

Att: 10,865

QPR: Woods 5, ★McCREERY 8, Gillard 6, Waddock 7, Hazell 6, Roeder 7, Fereday 6 (sub. Hill 7), Shanks 6, Langley 5, Currie 7, Burke 6.

Newcastle: Hardwick 6, Carney 7, Davies 7, ★WALKER 8, Boam 7, Mitchell 6, Shoulder 6, Rafferty 7, Clarke 7, Hibbitt 6 (sub. Cartwright), Koenen 6.

Referee: S. G. Bates (Bristol)
Match Rating: ★★

SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY (1) 2

(Pearson 41, King 52)

BRISTOL CITY (1) 1 (Ritchie 37)

Att: 15,054

Sheff Wed: Bolder 7, Blackhall 7, Grant 7, Smith 6, Pickering 6, King 7, Taylor 7, Johnson 7, ★OWEN 8 (sub. Campbell), Pearson 6, Mellor 6.

Bristol City: Cashley 6, Sweeney 6, Hay 6, ★TAINTON 8, Rodgers 7, Merrick 6, Fitzpatrick 6, Gow 7, Whitehead 6, Ritchie 7, Mabbutt 6.

Referee: B. Hill (Kettering)
Match Rating: ★★

SWANSEA (1) 1 (Stevenson 26)

NOTTS COUNTY (0) 1 (Kilcline 71)

Att: 10,921

Swansea: Stewart 6, Attley 6, Hadziabdic 6, Mahoney 7,

★STEVENSON 8, Phillips 6, Giles 6, James, R 7, James, L 6, Charles 6, Robinson 6.

Notts County: Avramovic 6, Benjamin 7, O'Brien 6, Kelly 7, Kilcline 6, Richards 6, McCulloch 6,

★MASSON 8, Christie 6, Hunt 6, Mair 6 (sub. Hooks 6).

Referee: E. A. Read (Bristol) — Replaced after 20 minutes by R. Gifford (Hengoed)

Match Rating: ★★

WATFORD (1) 2 (Bolton, pen 37, Jenkins 80)

PRESTON (0) 1 (Coleman 89)

Att: 11,275

Watford: Steele 7, Henderson 6, Jactett 7, Patching 6 (sub. Callaghan 6), Sims 7, Bolton 7, Blissett 5, Poskett 7, Jenkins 7, ★TRAIN 8, Rostrom 7.

Preston: Tunks 7, Cameron 6, McAteer 6, Burns 7, Baxter 6, O'Riordan 6, ★BELL 8, Coleman 6, McGee 6, Fayre 6 (sub. Elliott), Bruce 7.

Referee: J. Bray (Leicestershire)
Match Rating: ★★

WEST HAM (1) 3 (King, og 8, Goddard 65, Cross 67)

SHREWSBURY (0) 0

Att: 22,339

West Ham: Parkes 6, Stewart 7, Lampard 6, Bonds 6, Martin 7, Devonshire 8, Neighbour 5 (sub. Morgan 7), Goddard 7, Cross 7, ★BROOKING 9, Pike 6.

Shrewsbury: Wardle 7, King 6, Leonard 6, Lindsay 6, Griffin 6, Keay 6, Tong 7, Atkins 6, Dungworth 7, Edwards 7, ★PETTS 8.

Referee: C. A. Maskell (Stapleford)
Match Rating: ★★

WREXHAM (1) 3 (McNeil 11, Vinter 66, Moores, og 76)

ORIENT (1) 1 (Bowles 36)

Att: 5,356

Wrexham: Davies 7, Jones, J 6, Dwyer 7 (sub. ★FOX 8), Davis 6, Cegielski 7, Carrodus 7, Vinter 6, Sutton 6, Edwards 7, McNeil 7, Cartwright 7.

Orient: Day 6, Fisher 6, ★ROFFEY 8, Houghton 6, Gray 6, Parsons 6 (sub. Godfrey 6), Chiedoie 7, Moores 6, Mayo 6, Bowles 7, Margerrison 6.

Referee: M. J. Peck (Kendal)
Match Rating: ★★

Division Three

BARNESLEY (0) 1 (Glavin 86)

HUDDERSFIELD (0) 0

Att: 13,819

Barnsley: New 7, Cooper 6, Chambers 6, Glavin 7, Banks 7, Hunter 6, Evans 6, Parker 6, Riley 7, ★LESTER 8, Downes 6 (sub. Aylott).

Huddersfield: Rankin 7, Brown 6, Robinson 6, Stanton 7, Sutton 6, Hanvey 6, Laverick 7, Kennedy 7, Lilles 7, ★ROBINS 8, Cowling 6.

Referee: P. Partridge (Co. Durham)
Match Rating: ★★

COLCHESTER (1) 3 (Foley 23, Lee 51, Rowles 71)

MILLWALL (0) 0

Att: 2,724

Colchester: Walker 6, Cook 6, Crouch 6, Leslie 6, Wignall 7, Packer 6, Cotton 6, Allinson 7, ★FOLEY 8, Lee 7, Rowles 6.

Millwall: Gleasure 5, Sitton 5, Gregory 5, Chatterton 6, Tagg 5, ★BLYTH 7, Roberts 6, Massey 5, Mitchell 6, Lyons 5, Kinsella 6.

Referee: H. Taylor (Oadby)
Match Rating: ★★

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Arsenal's Graham Rix and Eric Gates of Ipswich stepped up for impressive England debuts, not content to hide in the shadows as so many before them, but it was Paul Mariner who caught the eye, leading the front line with energy and strength, to lay on a goal for Woodcock, win a penalty for McDermott's second of the night and crown his fine display with a sizzling solo effort.

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Top: Eric Gates shows the pace which had Norwegian nerves on edge during his debut.

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BRENTFORD (1) 1 (Booker 16)
FULHAM (1) 3 (O'Driscoll 29, Brown 56, Davies 88)
Att: 11,600
Brentford: McCullough 5, Shrubb 5, Hill 6, ★**SALMAN** 8, Kruse 6, Hurlock 6, Funnell 7, Silkman 7, Booker 5, Walker 6, Crown 6.
Fulham: Peyton 8, Peters 6, Strong 6, ★**BECK** 9, Brown 8, Gale 7, Mahoney 7 (sub. Hatter), O'Driscoll 8, Davies 7, Greenaway 6, Lock 7.
Referee: L. Shapter (Torquay)
Match Rating: ★★

CHARLTON (0) 1 (Hales, pen 76)
CHESTER (0) 0
Att: 4,422
Charlton: ★**WOOD** 9, Gritt 7, Warman 8, Hazell 6, Berry 7, Tydeman 7, Powell 6 (sub. Walker 7), Walsh 7, Hales 7, Smith 7, Robinson 7.
Chester: Millington 8, ★**RAYNOR** 9, Walker 7, Storton 7, Cottam 6, Oakes 7, Birch 8, Jones 7, Kearney 7, Ludlam 6, Cooke 6 (sub. Phillips 7).
Referee: R. W. Toseland (Leicester)
Match Rating: ★★

BLACKPOOL (1) 2 (Morris 22, Harrison 90)
HULL (0) 2 (Haigh 50, 79)
Att: 6,138
Blackpool: Hesford 6, Gardner 5, Williams 6, Doyle 5, McEwan 8, Sbragia 6, ★**MORRIS** 9, Hockaday 6, MacDougall 4, Deary 6, Harrison 6.
Hull: Norman 7, McNeil 6, Horswill 7, Booth 6, Roberts, J 6, ★**HAIGH** 9, Swann 6, Nisbet 6, Edwards 8, Moss 6, Deacy 6 (sub. Roberts, D 7).
Referee: K. McNally (South Wirral)
Match Rating: ★★

CARLISLE (0) 0
GILLINGHAM (0) 0
Att: 3,029
Carlisle: Swinburne 7, Hoolickin 7, Watson 6, MacDonald 6, Coady 5, Parker 6, ★**MCVITIE** 8, Metcalfe 7, Bannion 6, Hamilton 7, Staniforth 7 (sub. Beardsley 6).
Gillingham: Hillyard 7, Sharpe 6, Ford 7, Overton 6, Weatherly 6, ★**HUGHES** 8, Bruce 7, Duncan 6, Price 7, Henderson 6, Adams 6 (sub. Westwood 6).
Referee: T. Morris (Leeds)
Match Rating: ★★

EXETER (0) 0
BURNLEY (0) 0
Att: 4,534
Exeter: Main 6, Ireland 6, Giles 7, Roberts 6, Hatch 6, Pearson 6, ★**DELVE** 8, Prince 6, Pullar 6, Neville 7, Kellow 6.
Burnley: Stephenson 7, Laws 6, ★**DOBSON** 8, Overson 6, Holt 6, Cavener 6, Cassidy 6, Young 7, Scott 6, Hamilton 6, Taylor 6.
Referee: D. Hedges (Oxford)
Match Rating: ★★

CHESTERFIELD (1) 2 (Hunter 39, Walker 48)
PLYMOUTH (1) 2 (Graves 18, Kemp 76)
5,561
Chesterfield: Turner 6, Stirk 6, O'Neill 6, Green 7, Hunter 7, ★**WILSON** 8 (sub. Moss), Bonnyman 6, Ridley 7, Birch 6, Walwyn 7, Walker 6.
Plymouth: Crudgington 6, Harrison 7, Foster 6, Uzell 6, James 7, Bason 7, Randall 7, Hodges 6, ★**KEMP** 8, Graves 6, Murphy 7.
Referee: G. Owen (Anglesey)
Match Rating: ★★

NEWPORT (0) 0
OXFORD (1) 1 (Brock 15)
Att: 5,256
Newport: Dowler 6, Walden 5 (sub.

Else), Relish 7, Bruton 6, Oakes 6, Tynan 6, Vaughan 6, ★**LOWNDES** 8, Moore 7, Gwyther 6, Aldridge 7.
Oxford: Burton 7, Kingston 6, Fogg 7, Cooke 7, Shotton 6, Jeffrey 6, ★**BROCK** 8, Taylor 6, Lythgoe 6, Foley 7, Jones 7.
Referee: B. Newsome (Broseley)
Match Rating: ★★

READING (1) 1 (Beavon 16)
SHEFFIELD UNITED (0) 0
Att: 7,429
Reading: Death 7, Joslyn 7, Henderson 7, Bowman 8, Hicks 7, Hetzke 7, Earles 7, Wanklyn 7, Dixon 8, ★**SANCHEZ** 9, Beavon 7.
Sheff Utd: Richardson 7, Cutbush 6, Houston 6, Kenworthy 7, McPhail 7, Tibbott 6, ★**MATTHEWS** 8, Trusson 7, Butlin 6, Hatton 6, Peters 6.
Referee: T. Spencer (Salisbury)
Match Rating: ★★

SWINDON (0) 2 (Greenwood 64, Rowland 68)
ROTHERHAM (1) 1 (Towner 42)
Att: 5,498
Swindon: Allan 8, Henry 7, Trollop 8, Kamara 6, ★**LEWIS** 9, Carter 8, Miller 6, Cockerill 6, Rowland 8, Mayes 7, Greenwood 6.
Rotherham: Brown 8, Forrest 6, Breckin 7, Tiler 7, ★**STANICLIFFE** 9, Mullen 6, Towner 8, Gooding 6, Moore 8 (sub. Henson), Seasman 7, Finney 7.
Referee: C. Thomas (Porthcawl)
Match Rating: ★★

WALSALL (1) 2 (Rees 41, Buckley 72)
PORTSMOUTH (0) 0
Att: 5,738
Walsall: Freeman 7, Macken 7, Mower 7, Serella 7, Baines 8, Hart 7, Penn 7, O'Kelly 8, Rees 7, ★**BUCKLEY** 9, Caswell 7.
Portsmouth: Mellor 7, McLaughlin 6, Viney 6, ★**BRISLEY** 8, Aizlewood 6, Garner 7, Gregory 7, Laidlaw 7, Showers 6 (sub. Perrin 6), Bryant 7, Rogers 6.
Referee: M. Dimplebee (Stevenage)
Match Rating: ★★

Division Four

BOURNEMOUTH (0) 1 (Massey 70)
TRANMERE (0) 0
Att: 2,642
Bournemouth: Allen 6, Cunningham 6, Ferns 7, Impey 6, Heffernan 6, Webb 7, Spackman 6, McGrath 5, ★**MORGAN** 8, Massey 7, Evanson 6.
Tranmere: Johnson 7, Parry 6, ★**MATHIAS** 8, Bramhall 6, Edwards 5, Evans 5, Mungall 6, Kerr 5 (sub. Flood), Lumby 6, Beamish 6, Kelly 5.
Referee: M. J. Taylor (Deal)
Match Rating: ★★

BURY (1) 4 (Madden 27, Butler 53, Johnson 60, Hilton 82)
MANSFIELD (0) 1 (McClelland 54)
Att: 2,668
Bury: Forrest 7, Phillips 6, Bradley 7, Waddington 7, Kennedy 7, Mullen 6, Waldron 7, ★**MADDEN** 8, Johnson 6, Butler 5 (sub. Hilton), Tulley 6.
Mansfield: Arnold 7, Dawkins 6, ★**MCCLELLAND** 8, Burrows 6, Mann 6, Phillips 5, Parkinson 7, Bird 6, Caldwell 6, Austin 5, Pollard 7.
Referee: E. M. Tyson (Sunderland)
Match Rating: ★★

CREWE (0) 0
WIMBLEDON (2) 3 (Cork 34, 38, 74)
Att: 1,881
Crewe: Mulhearn 5, McMahon 5, ★**LEWIS** 7, Hunter 6, Scott 5, Prohett 5, Davies 5 (sub. Wilkinson 6), Guy 5, Conroy 6, Palios 6, Bowers 6.
Wimbledon: Beasant 7, Brown 6,

Perkins 5, Galliers 6, Smith 6 (sub. Driver 6), Cunningham 6, Denny 6, Downes 7, Leslie 7, ★**CORK** 8, Armstrong 7.
Referee: D. W. Lloyd (Fernhill Heath)
Match Rating: ★★

DARLINGTON (1) 3 (Stalker 15, 77, 89)
WIGAN (1) 1 (McLean, og 23)
Att: 2,321
Darlington: Barry 7, Kamara 8, Wilson 7, Ball 5, Skipper 6, Speedie 7, Hawker 6, Charlton 7, ★**STALKER** 9, McLean 5, Walsh 6.
Wigan: Brown 5, Fretwell 6, Kettle 7, ★**GORE** 8, Methven 6, Davids 5, McMullen 6, Wright 7, Oliver 5 (sub. Glenn 6), Hutchinson 5, Corrigan 6.
Referee: A. Challinor (Maltby)
Match Rating: ★★

HALIFAX (1) 1 (Firth 8)
SCUNTHORPE (0) 0
Att: 1,226
Halifax: Kilner 7, Nattress 6, Burton 6, ★**EVANS** 8, Harris 6, Dunleavy 6, Firth 7, Hendrie 6, Allatt 6, Ward 7, O'Neil 7.
Scunthorpe: Neenan 7, Pugh 6, Pilling 6, Grimes 6, Dall 6, Oates 6, ★**ASHWORTH** 8, Cammack 7, Lamberg 6 (sub. O'Berg 6), Partridge 6, Stewart 6.
Referee: K. Redfern (Whitley Bay)
Match Rating: ★★

HEREFORD (0) 0
SOUTHEND (0) 0
Att: 2,464
Hereford: ★**BRAND** 9, Spiring 6, Musial 7, Hicks 8, Dobson 6, Lowe 6, White 7, Bartley 7, Jones 6, Morris 6, Lane 7.
Southend: Cawston 7, Stead 7, Yates 6, Hadley 6, Moody 7, Cusack 7, Gray 6, Pountney 7, ★**SPENCE** 8, Mercer 7, Otulakowski 7.
Referee: M. J. Heath (Stoke)
Match Rating: ★★

NORTHAMPTON (0) 0
DONCASTER (1) 2 (Little 34, Pugh 53)
Att: 2,280
Northampton: Poole 7, Denyer 6, Saunders 6, Byatt 5, Gage 6, Heeley 7, Carlton 5, Williams 6, ★**PHILLIPS** 8, Bowen 6, Farmer 5 (sub. Sandy 6).
Doncaster: Boyd 7, Russell 6, Lister 7, Dowd 6 (sub. Saunders), ★**SNODIN** 9, Dowie 6, Harle 7, Little 8, Pugh 7, Nimmo 8, Warboys 7.
Referee: A. Gunn (Burgess Hill)
Match Rating: ★★

PETERBOROUGH (0) 2 (Cooke 56, Quow 63)
ROCHDALE (1) 2 (Wellings 29, Hilditch 64)
Att: 3,906
Peterborough: Waugh 6, McVay 7, Phillips 6, Hodgson 5, Slack 5, Foster 6, ★**QUOW** 8, Kellock 7, Cooke 7, Syrett 6 (sub. Cliss), Lambert 6.
Rochdale: Pearce 6, Jones 7, Snookes 6, O'Loughlin 6, Burke 7, Taylor 6, Wann 7, Esser 6, Hilditch 7, ★**WELLINGS** 8, Martinez 6.
Referee: D. Cival (Birmingham)
Match Rating: ★★

PORT VALE (0) 0
ALDERSHOT (1) 1 (McGregor 17)
Att: 2,370
Port Vale: Harrison 6, Keenan 6, Griffiths 5, ★**BEECH** 7, Bowles 6, Sproson 6, Jones 5 (sub. Elsbey), Farrell 6, Woolfall 5, Chamberlain 5, Bromage 5.
Aldershot: ★**JOHNSON** 8, Edwards 5, Wooler 5, Briley 7, Bennett 6, Jopling 6, McGregor 6, Crosby 6, Garwood 5, Brodie 5, Lucas 5 (sub. Scott 4).
Referee: P. J. Richardson (Lincoln)
Match Rating: ★★

STOCKPORT (0) 0
LINCOLN (0) 0
Att: 3,289
Stockport: Lawson 6, Rutter 6, Sherlock 7, Fowler 6, ★**SWORD** 8, Uzelac 7, Williams 6, Sunley 6, Bradd 6, Galvin 6, Coyle 6.
Lincoln: Felgate 6, Thompson, T 7, Keeley 7, Thompson, S 6, ★**PEAKE** 8, Carr 7, Turner 6, Harford 7, Hobson 6, Hughes 7, Shipley 7.
Referee: P. N. Willis (Meadowfield)
Match Rating: ★★

YORK (0) 0
HARTLEPOOL (1) 1 (Houchen 37)
Att: 2,504
York: Blackburn 7, Kay 6, Walsh 6, Richards 6, Faulkner 6, Craig 6, Ford 7, Byrne 6 (sub. Ferebee), Eccles 6, ★**HOOD** 8, McDonald 6.
Hartlepool: Richardson 6, Sweeney 6, Brown 6, Hogan 7, Bird 7, Fagan 6 (sub. Hampton 6), ★**LAWRENCE** 8, Kerr 7, Houchen 7, Forster 6, Harding 6.
Referee: J. Hunting (Leicester)
Match Rating: ★★

TORQUAY (2) 2 (Cooper 22, Lawrence 28)
BRADFORD CITY (0) 0
Att: 2,611
Torquay: O'Keefe 7, Pethard 6, Cochrane 7, Jones 7, Bourne 6, Hayes 6, Fell 5, ★**LAWRENCE** 8, Cooper 7, Bowker 6, Sermanni 6 (sub. Twitchin).
Bradford: Smith 6, Podd 6, Wood 6, ★**ROBERTSON** 7, Jackson 6, Cooper 6, Chapman 6, Staniforth 5, Campbell 5, McNiven 5, Hutchins 6.
Referee: J. Martin (Alton)
Match Rating: ★★

SCOTTISH Premier Division

HEARTS (0) 0
CELTIC (1) 2 (Provan 33, Nicholas 53)
Att: 17,169
Hearts: Brough 6, Robinson 7, Jefferies 7, Boyd 6, Liddell 6, Kidd 7, Bowman 5, Gibson 7, ★**O'CONNOR** 8, Robertson 6, MacDonald 7.
Celtic: Bonnar 7, Sneddon 7, McGrain 7, Aitken 6, McAdam 6, ★**MACLEOD** 8, Provan 7, Sullivan 7, McCluskey 6, Burns 7, Nicholas 7.
Referee: W. Anderson (East Kilbride)
Match Rating: ★★
Sending Off: Aitken (Celtic)

RANGERS (1) 1 (McAdam 38)
ABERDEEN (1) 1 (Strachan, pen 30)
Att: 32,000
Rangers: McCloy 7, Jardine 7, Miller 7, Forsyth 7 (sub. Johnstone 7), Jackson 7, Bett 6, ★**COOPER** 8, McLean 7, McAdam 7, Redford 5, Johnston 7.
Aberdeen: Leighton 7, Kennedy 7, Rougiev 7, Watson 7, ★**MCLEISH** 8, Miller 7, Strachan 7, McMaster 7, McGhee 6, Hewitt 5, Scanlon 6.
Referee: B. McGinlay (Balfron)
Match Rating: ★★

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point of my career'



Programme Guide

THE IPSWICH Town programme is only the third to come under Match Weekly's critical eye . . . but already we think we've found the best in the League.

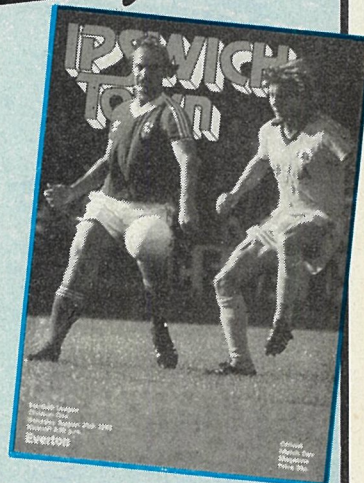
For content, colour, and design it takes a lot of beating. Not one of the 36 pages can be ignored and at 30 pence it's good value for money.

Ipswich's match-day magazine is the only one in the First Division to incorporate a new 16-page insert.

In the programme we looked at — Ipswich v Everton — it included Dave Watson talking about England's failure in Italy, the Phil Neal life story and Bobby Robson urging our need to produce the complete footballer — features of interest to any football fan.

It makes for better pre-match reading than the insert used by the majority of other First Division sides.

Interesting articles are the star spot — putting a Town player under the spotlight — the captain's page, and a spread of action pictures.



The use of colour and design are superb but in some instances the size of the words are a bit small — making it difficult to read in a jostling crowd.

Programme rating:
***** Superb; **** Good;
*** Satisfactory; ** Poor;
* Terrible.

Content ****
Colour ****
Pictures ****
Club information ****
Entertainment ****
Value for money ****

Prizewinners and solutions

CROSSWORD Answers (No. 48):

Across: 1. Darlington 6. Bob 7. Vinter 8. Ipswich 9. Elliott 10. A.E.K. 12. Ryan 13. Ross 15. Hansen 17. Smillie 18. Team 20. Maybank 24. Osman 26. Irwin 28. Anderson 29. Gun.

Down: 1. David Armstrong 2. Rangers 3. Norwich City 4. Tainton 5. Nish 6. Bailey 10. Arnott 11. Kamara 14. Silkman 16. Stein 19. Money 21 and 23. Andy King 22. Bury 25. May 27. Win.

WINNERS of Spot the Difference No 27, who each receive a Subbuteo set, were: Simon Roberts, Nantwich, Cheshire; Julian Jones, Ash Vale, Aldershot; J. Hill, Kettering, Northants; Barrie Russell, Hawick, Roxburgh, Scotland.

WINNERS of Crossword No 48, who each receive a football, were: Ian West, Ramsgate, Kent; James Mason, Mitcham, Surrey; David Meade, Bradsall, Derby; Geoffrey Kinch, Eaton Norwich; Allyn Jenkins, Aberdare, Mid. Glamorgan.

Solution to Spot the Difference No. 27 (August 30 issue).

1. Banner white instead of black. 2. Another banner striped instead of white. 3. Player in wall has white shorts instead of black. 4. Window in stand roof. 5. Sun has gone. 6. Badge missed off players shirt. 7. Player in wall has black hair. 8. Bird missing out of sky. 9. Letters missing off boarding. 10. Badge on shirt of player taking kick now black.

No.6

David Armstrong

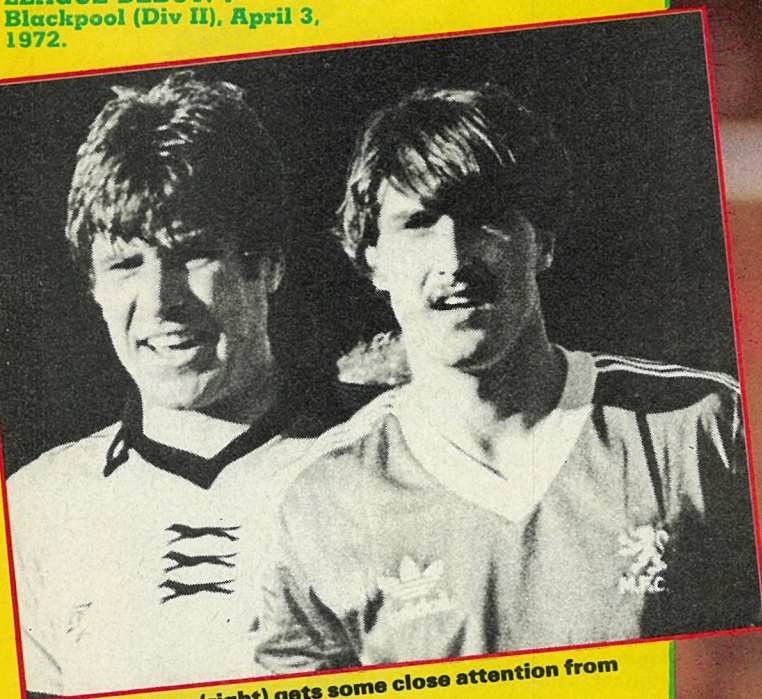
Middlesbrough

BIRTHPLACE: Durham
BIRTHDATE: December 26, 1954

CAREER: Joined Middlesbrough as apprentice January, 1970.

LEAGUE DEBUT: v Blackpool (Div II), April 3, 1972.

LEAGUE APPEARANCES: 323
INTERNATIONAL APPEARANCES: Four
Under 23 England caps
1 full cap, 1 B cap.



David Hodgson (right) gets some close attention from Wolves' stalwart Emlyn Hughes.

Best left foot in the business says David Hodgson

"HE'S GOT probably the best left foot in the business, has Spikey!

"I don't know where he got the nickname, but we're always saying in training, 'Come on, Spikey, wave that magic wand' and he'll turn it on.

"He's got tremendous vision and spots situations faster than anyone.

"I'll always remember one goal he created for me last season against Everton — in fact it's shown on the opening credits of the Look North TV soccer programme each week.

"Spikey picked the ball up just inside his own half and was being forced out wide by two defenders, when he suddenly cut the ball back with that magic left foot right into my path and I hit it in first time with my right."

